

DEFICIENCY BILL
REPORTED TODAY

WILL BE CALLED UP AGAIN TOMORROW.

Secretary Carlisle Goes Before the Currency Committee and Explains His Plan for a New Banking Law—Action of the Steering Committee Will Determine the Programme.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—The urgency deficiency bill was reported in the house today and will be called up again tomorrow. Secretary Carlisle explained his plan for a new banking law before the currency committee this morning. The week's program in the senate will depend largely if not entirely upon the decision of the democratic steering committee with reference to the order in which the bills preferred by the democratic caucus are to be taken up. This point was left entirely to the steering committee, which Senator Gorman, its chairman, says will probably meet today. The committee will then or at some subsequent meeting decide whether the Nicaragua canal bill, the bankruptcy bill, the New Mexico and Arizona bills, the Indian territory bill, or the resolution for the election of senators by the people shall have precedence. It is not supposed by any one that any supposed currency bill be given first place, for the reason that no currency bill has yet been formulated. The friends of the other bills will unquestionably press their respective measures, and it is as yet impossible to say which of the bills mentioned will receive preference. While the committee is undecided Senator Morgan will be improving his opportunity to press the claims of the Nicaragua bill. He has given notice of his intention to call up the bill to-day and he will open the proceedings of the day, after the disposal of the morning business, with a speech devoted to an explanation of the merits of the bill. It is probable that this speech will consume the greater part of the day. The speech made, the decision of the committee will probably be allowed to control as to whether the canal bills shall continue to receive attention or shall be dropped by one of the other favored measures. For the rest Senator Morrill has given notice of an intention to present, as is his annual custom at the beginning of a congressional session, his views on some public question, this year in relation to the national finances. Senator Hunton of Virginia has also given notice of a speech for Thursday on the establishment of a national university. It is also considered possible that there will be some executive work during the week, especially if the Japanese treaty should be reported.

THE NEW TREATY.

Japan and the United States Both Profit by the Convention.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—The full text of the new treaty between the United States and Japan shows how fully the United States has accorded Japan the recognition it has now as an enlightened modern nation. Running throughout the new treaty are the concessions recognizing her courts and laws as ample for Americans as well as natives. This is the chief feature of the treaty. The old consular courts in which United States consuls tried cases at Japanese treaty ports are abandoned. Instead of them all cases, civil and criminal, in which an American is concerned will be tried by the native courts. The right of Japan to make its own tariff laws is also recognized. The United States secures many substantial advantages. The missionaries, who make up such a very large class in Japan, are guaranteed freedom of worship and protection in that worship. The main concession, however, is that by which Japan is opened up to American commerce and enterprise.

Railroad Earnings and Expenses.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—The interstate commerce commission has issued a preliminary report on the income and expenditures of railways in the United States for the year ending June 30, 1894. It is probable the decrease in net earnings of all the railroads will exceed \$50,000,000. The dividends paid were \$62,464,961, as compared with \$66,464,130 for 1893. The report also shows the average receipts per passenger per mile and the average receipts per ton per mile for the year ending June 30, 1894, covering the mileage represented. Regardless of the decrease in traffic there has been a decline in rates during the year, the average receipts per passenger per mile being 1.076 cents, as compared with 2.18 cents in 1893, and the average receipts per ton per mile .866 cents as compared with .878 cents in 1893.

Stabbed in a Quarrel Over Cards.

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 10.—Giuseppe Oliver of 18 Genesee street and his wife, Theresa, were probably fatally stabbed by Antonio Constantino as the result of a quarrel over a game of cards. Constantino was arrested and confessed.

Does Not Believe There Will Be War. CITY OF MEXICO, Dec. 10.—President Diaz is receiving many offers of men, money, etc., in case of war with Guatemala, to all of which he replies with thanks, saying he does not believe there will be need of going to war.

TRAIN ROBBER CONFESSES.

It Is Sam Evans, Nephew of a Wealthy Fort Worth Citizen.

FORT WORTH, Texas, Dec. 10.—One of the Berbrook train robbers, who held up the Texas & Pacific train last Thursday, eight miles from this city, surrendered to the sheriff of Navarro county at Corsicana yesterday. He was brought here and is now in jail. He has confessed everything and gave the names of the four others implicated, two of whom have been arrested and are now in jail. The self confessed train robber is Sam Evans, the nephew of one of the oldest and wealthiest citizens of Fort Worth, Col. Sam Evans. Another of the robbers is G. W. Sullivan, and the third under arrest is a young man, who will possibly be used as state's evidence. Evans at Corsicana talked very freely. When he arrived here he became exceedingly reticent and denies everything that he said at Corsicana. Among other things he said was that he had plenty of money, the proceeds of the robbery, but would not give up a cent unless he was promised protection.

WHOLE FAMILY HURT.

Two Jump from a Third Floor to a Stone Pavement—Others Burned.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 10.—Five persons were injured in a fire that occurred yesterday morning at the house of F. W. Mitchler, at Fourteenth and Harrison streets. The Mitchler family, five in number, slept on the third floor. Mrs. Mitchler and her daughter Edith, aged 16, jumped to the ground and landed on the stone pavement. Both are seriously though not fatally injured. Mr. Mitchler and a son aged 6 were unable to find an exit and were badly burned before being rescued by the firemen. Mr. Mitchler's mother fell downstairs and sustained a broken arm. The loss was small.

Makes a Bad Bull.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 10.—Milwaukee will have another investigation on its hands, as a resolution will be introduced in the council to-night censuring City Clerk Anderson for his gross negligence in omitting from the tax roll the city school tax, amounting to \$394,861. The city officials held a conference yesterday in regard to the error, and, despite the denials and excuses of City Clerk Anderson, it was found he had made a serious blunder, and unless a correction can be made, it will leave the city without a school fund next year and money will have to be borrowed to make up the deficiency.

Railroad Men Dissatisfied.

ALBUQUERQUE N. M., Dec. 10.—The engineers and firemen of the Atlantic & Pacific railway have engaged an attorney to look after their interests. They say they have become tired of paying the grand officers of their organization \$10,000 to \$20,000 a year in addition to heavy local dues, as in time of trouble the officers have taken sides with the company and they sanctioned the discharge of men on account of the American Railway Union without hearing their claims.

Farmers After Horse Thieves.

GUTHRIE, Okla., Dec. 10.—The farmers of Kingfisher county have been visited by numerous bands of horse and cattle thieves and scores of cattle and horses have been taken. Thursday night James Hammill had a stallion valued at \$3,000 stolen, and more than twenty farmers have reported losses during the last two weeks. The thieves' stronghold is in the Gyp hills in the Cheyenne country. A posse of farmers, numbering 250 old timers, started for the stronghold last night.

After Standard Oil Magnates.

WACO, Texas, Dec. 10.—Assistant Attorney-General R. S. Henry, discussing the efforts to bring the Rockfellers and other indicted Standard Oil company officials in New York to Texas for violating the anti-trust law of this state, said yesterday that the technical defects in the requisition papers complained of by Gov. Flower will be remedied and the matter vigorously pressed. Mr. Henry will go to New York and argue the matter before Gov. Flower.

Deputy Sheriff Killed.

CLAREMORE, I. T., Dec. 10.—Deputy Marshall John Beard was shot and instantly killed yesterday while attempting to arrest Jim Price, a local tough, wanted by both the United States and Cherokee authorities. Price got the drop on him. Beard stepped behind his wagon and took a snap shot at Price, who returned the fire, the ball entering Beard's brain. Price then fled.

Expect to Take Murderous Hobos.

FOSTORIA, Ohio, Dec. 10.—The four tramps who killed Arthur E. Brown and Henry Reese of Auburn, Ind., and who wounded Henry Harris at Fostoria Saturday were heard from at Desher yesterday, where they pillaged a house. Their capture is now expected. Although Harris has seven bullets in his body, he was able to talk, but his recovery is still in doubt.

Houses Likely to Be Engulfed.

SHENANDOAH, Pa., Dec. 10.—The town of Lost Creek, a suburb of this city, was terrorized last night by a rumbling noise which increased in volume and culminated in the cracking and sinking of the earth under six houses. The inmates escaped to a place of safety. The earth is still slowly sinking, and it is feared the houses will be engulfed. The surface is undermined by the workings of the Packer No. 2 colliery.

MISS GING KILLED
BY CLAUD BLIXTTHE MINNEAPOLIS MURDER IS
CLEARED UP.

Harry Howard Paid Him to Slay Her for Her Life Insurance Luring Her to the Slaughter Pen Under the Promise of Buying Counterfeit Money.

MINNEAPOLIS Minn., Dec. 10.—Blixt broke down completely about 11 o'clock last night and he made an entirely different confession from that made in the afternoon when he said Harry Hayward killed Miss Ging. He said Harry Hayward planned the whole affair and that he (Blixt) drove Miss Ging out to the lake. Harry Hayward told Miss Ging to go out with Blixt and he would take her where she could get some green goods, she having consented to go in on a counterfeit money deal. Hayward also said he would follow in another carriage and she need not be afraid. Blixt met her on the quiet and drove her out on Kenwood Park way. When they turned off from the boulevard the crime was committed. Hayward was not with them. Another startling admission made by Blixt is that Hayward had arranged with him whereby the Ozark flats were to be burned this winter and Blixt was to set them on fire. The results of such a fire can be imagined, as it is a fire story structure and thickly populated. Blixt also says that in addition to murdering the father and mother of the girl he mentioned in his first confession Hayward was to afterward kill the girl.

Blixt was yesterday taken over the route which he said he traveled the night of the murder. He was accompanied by the chief of police, Mayor Eustis, and two detectives. He corroborated every detail of his confession, which had been taken down in shorthand. He also admitted Harry Hayward had told him he had a scheme which would knock this murder all to pieces. He knew a girl who had wealthy parents. He proposed to kill them and get the money.

RULE AFFECTS WIDOWS.

Can Not Obtain Pensions If They Have Private Incomes.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—The pension bureau will refuse pensions to widows whose income from other sources, added to the proceeds of reasonable effort on their part, affords them comfortable support. This policy is provided for in a ruling of Assistant Secretary Reynolds, based on the act of June 27, 1890. In his decision the assistant secretary says: "It was evidently the intention of congress to supplement the widow's means of support from her own labor and all other sources by the pension only when such means were insufficient for her comfortable support. Under ordinary circumstances, without intending to lay down an arbitrary and inflexible rule, when a widow is shown to have an income considerably in excess of the pension provided by the third section of the act from sources independent of her daily labor, she does not occupy a pensionable status, thereunder." Judge Reynolds has also held in the case of James Keating, Fifteenth regiment United States infantry, that where a soldier died before final action by the bureau of pensions and his claim had been subsequently rejected, the attorney of record has no legal right to appeal from such rejection without first obtaining from the widow of the soldier a power of attorney to continue the prosecution.

CONVENTION BEGINS TO-DAY.

Delegates Arriving for American Federation of Labor Meeting.

DENVER, Colo., Dec. 10.—Nearly all the delegates have arrived to attend the convention of the American Federation of Labor, which opens here at 10 o'clock to-day. John Burns of England, Samuel Gompers, Richard Holmes of England and J. J. Maguire arrived yesterday. It is very probable a free coinage resolution will meet with very little opposition. On the question of immigration action will probably be in the shape of a resolution asking congress to limit it for a number of years. The principal business to come before the delegates will be the adoption of a platform. The auditing committee reports the finances in splendid condition, but will not make public any report until the convention assembles.

Ives Wins the Billiard Match.

CHICAGO, Dec. 10.—Ives was the winner in the billiard match with Schaefer which ended here Saturday night. Score of the last game was: Ives—16, 12, 0, 25, 0, 2, 15, 90, 165, 30, 8, 10, 12, 140, 74, 17—600. Average, 40. Grand total, 3,600. Grand average, 41 33-57. Schaefer—72, 1, 1, 0, 125, 25, 21, 73, 14, 0, 4, 5, 63, 50—456. Average, 32 8-14. Grand average 32 67-87. Score for the week: Ives, 3,600; Schaefer, 2,831.

Law to Fix Value of Franchises.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 10.—One of the most important measures which will come before the legislature at its session next month is a bill which will provide for the taxing of franchises of quasi public corporations, and will prescribe the manner in which such franchises shall be assessed.

GERMAN MINISTER
QUITS HIS OFFICESEVERAL BILLS HE DRAFTED
HAVE BEEN REJECTED.

This Showing of Lack of Confidence Causes Him to Resign—Sultan of Turkey Alarmed at American Disclosures—Fears the Effect of an Independent Report.

BERLIN, Dec. 10.—[Special]—Minister of Commerce von Berlepsch tendered his resignation to-day, owing to the fact that the ministry rejected bills which he drafted.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 10.—The Sultan has not acquiesced in the mission of Consul Milo Jewett, who was selected by President Cleveland to inquire into and report upon the Turkish outrages in Armenia. The Sultan appears to fear the effect of an independent report to the Washington government.

Sir Philip Currie, the British ambassador to Turkey, is in very active communication with the porte and the foreign embassies. It is believed with good reason he is pressing the porte to adopt some measure that will satisfy the outraged public opinion of Europe. The porte is completely alive to the gravity of the situation and seems to fear either a collective note from the powers or an agreement between Russia and Great Britain for a Russian occupation of Armenia.

For the Pardon of Armenians.

VIENNA, Dec. 10.—Trustworthy Constantinople advices here show that the Turkish minister of justice has invited Hymayak, locum tenens of the Armenian Patriarchate, to petition the Sultan to pardon 233 Armenians who are lying untried in provincial prisons. No reply has been received to the invitation yet, and it is likely to be declined, as in seeking the pardon of the prisoners it would be necessary to describe them as rebels.

Rains and Earthquakes at Reggio.

ROME, Dec. 10.—A torrential rain that fell Saturday flooded the houses in Reggio, capital of Reggio di Calabria, which recently sustained great damage by earthquakes. In the evening there was a slight earthquake, which caused the people to flee from their homes and camp in the open places despite the inclement weather. At 5 o'clock Sunday morning there was a sharp shock, which caused a renewal of the panic.

Viceroy of Nankin Prepares Defense.

LONDON, Dec. 10.—The correspondent of the Times at Shanghai telegraphs that the new viceroy of Nankin is changing the officials. He is instructing them with river defenses, with mines and torpedoes, and has appointed a new admiral to command the Nan Yang squadron. It is supposed that he expects the Japanese to make an attack on the place during the winter.

Severe Gale on the Irish Coast.

LONDON, Dec. 10.—A violent southeast gale has prevailed along the Irish coast since dawn Sunday. The Cunard line steamer Umbria, Capt. Dutton, from Liverpool for New York, was detained at Queenstown until the afternoon. Several steamers were compelled by the severity of the gale to seek refuge in Queenstown harbor.

Encyclical Is Nearly Completed.

ROME, Dec. 10.—An influential cardinal assured the World correspondent yesterday that the expected encyclical to the American bishops would be completed within the next three days and was likely to be published about the end of the year.

Outbreak in China Reported.

LONDON, Dec. 10.—The Shanghai correspondent of the Central News says that a serious outbreak is reported at Wu-Ho, on the Yang Tseh Kiang, and that an American warship and Admiral Fremantle of the British fleet have gone to the scene of the disturbance.

Italy in Line.

ROME, Dec. 10.—Italy is in full agreement with Great Britain and is ready to consent to European intervention in Armenia.

REVIVES A RUMOR.

Paper Says Cleveland May Make Wilson a Supreme Justice.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—The Post this morning revives the report that it is the intention of the President to fill the next vacancy on the United States Supreme bench by the appointment of William L. Wilson of West Virginia, author of the tariff bill bearing that name. The paper says: "Mr. Wilson is principally known as a college professor and political economist, but he is said to be a lawyer of good parts, and his friends insist that this knowledge, together with his fine mind and strong capacity for work, would speedily make him one of the most useful members of the body."

Gen. Booth at Denver.

DENVER, Colo., Dec. 10.—Gen. William Booth, leader of the Salvation army, arrived here yesterday. He addressed two large audiences during the day. He received a warm welcome and thousands of people were turned away from the hall.

Miss Ida M. Fox is home from England where she has been enjoying a month's visit.

HERO OF THE SWEDES.

They Commemorate the Birth of Gustavus Adolphus.

STOCKHOLM, Dec. 10.—The three hundredth anniversary of the birth of Gustavus Adolphus, the great Swedish king who died on the battlefield of Lutzen, Nov. 6, 1632, was celebrated here yesterday with a pomp and splendor which made it one of the greatest festivals ever held in this capital.

BERLIN, Dec. 10.—The three hundredth anniversary of the birth of Gustavus Adolphus, the hero of Protestantism in the thirty years' war, was generally observed by Protestant Germany yesterday. Special services were held in several of the churches. BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 10.—The anniversary of the birth of Gustavus Adolphus was observed yesterday by several clergymen preaching on the struggle of Protestantism for an existence. Outside the pulpit there was no public observance. Celebrations were also held in Chicago and many other American cities.

TILLMAN MAKES ANSWER.

He Is a Heavy Borrower from the Carolina National Bank.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Dec. 10.—The charges made against the honesty of Gov. Tillman in a letter from B. F. Perry to J. Ashley, member of the legislature, brought out a reply by Gov. Tillman through W. A. Clark, president of the Carolina National bank. He says Tillman has been a borrower from the bank since the early months of 1891. He owes the bank now about \$8,000 in the form of two notes, one for \$2,000 which will mature at an early day. The other is for \$6,000, indorsed by three persons and secured by a mortgage on what is known as the Jones plantation and two other plantations near Trenton. The notes are good and will be collected at maturity. The charges of dishonesty are without foundation.

Insurance for Firemen.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Dec. 10.—The December Fireman's Magazine, official paper of the locomotive firemen, will make public the provisions of the beneficiary law which goes into effect Jan. 1. Members may then lessen the financial burden by carrying a smaller amount of insurance. For \$500 the death assessment is 75 cents and for \$1,000 it is \$1.50, while for the old amount of \$1,500 it remains at \$2. Members who are now carrying \$1,500 policies may change to either of the other amounts without further physical examination.

Feeder for the Illinois Central.

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 10.—The order of Judge Caldwell in St. Louis Saturday ordering the sale of the Sioux City, O'Neil & Western railway, or Pacific Short line, to satisfy a judgment in favor of the Manhattan Trust company of New York, ends a long line of intricate legal proceedings covering several years, and is the outgrowth of the sensational failure of the Union Trust company of Sioux City. It is now believed the Illinois Central will buy the road, as it is an important feeder and may constitute a part of its transcontinental line some day.

Bloodhounds Track a Murderer.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Dec. 10.—The hundreds of friends of David Doty, who assembled at Richmond last night to hang his slayer, the negro, Will Taylor, were persuaded by the authorities to allow the law to take its course. Taylor will be indicted to-day and sentence of death will be passed on him before Tuesday night and the day of his execution will be set for the near future. The murderer was tracked by bloodhounds.

Sympathy for Armenians.

CHICAGO, Dec. 10.—Citizens of Chicago uttered their protest last night against the outrages by the Turkish authorities in Armenia. Central music hall was filled with an audience that applauded every expression of sympathy for the country whose people have been massacred, and it applauded every declaration that America should use its powerful influence in righting the wrongs of a defenseless people. Strong resolutions were adopted and forwarded to President Cleveland.

Dunraven's Challenge Is Received.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Lord Dunraven's challenge for the American cup was received by Secretary Oddie of the New York Yacht club Saturday. The cup committee will meet Monday to prepare an answer. O. H. P. Belmont has given confirmation to the rumor that a syndicate is in process of formation to build a cup defender. September is the contemplated date.

Crew of the Lindhurst.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Dec. 10.—The British ship Scottish Hills of Liverpool, Capt. J. H. Hamilton, from Swansea to San Diego, coal laden, has arrived 161 days out. She has on board Capt. Reynolds and seventeen of the crew of British bark, Lord Lindhurst, who were taken off their vessel two months ago when she was in a foundering condition off Cape Horn. The Lord Lindhurst was in ballast from Rio de Janeiro to Valparaiso.

Searey May Help Hunt Hobbers.

RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 10.—Col. Pinkerton and two or three of his detectives were at Fredericksburg yesterday and had a long conference with Searey, the Aquia Creek robber. It is said Searey will be taken west, but whether to testify in the Morganfield case in Cincinnati or to aid the officers in their search for Texas robbers is not known.

A MILWAUKEE FIRE
WILL COST \$50,000BAD BLAZE RAGED ON WEST
WATER STREET.

F. P. Adler and His Wife and Two Children Had a Narrow Escape From Death—Half a Dozen Firms Are Left Without Quarters—Many Houses in New York Destroyed.

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 10.—A fire broke out at 2:30 this morning in the tailor establishment of Gottschalk Brothers, 248-252 West Water street, and completely burned out the upper two stories of the building, which is a four-story structure. F. P. Adler, his wife and two children, who lived in the third story, had a narrow escape for their lives. The building was occupied by F. P. Adler, confectioner; The People's Tailoring Company; the Wisconsin Loan & Trust Company and the Art Portrait Company. The loss will reach \$50,000.

Fire Burns One Hundred Houses.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—The Dutch steamer Prince William III. arrived yesterday morning from West Indies, touching at Port au Prince on Dec. 3. It brings the news of a big fire that broke out there Nov. 30 in the poorer portion of the city, which is on an elevation. More than 100 dwelling houses were destroyed before the firemen succeeded in subduing the flames. No lives were lost, however, and none of the business portion of the city was burned.

Fire Bugs Caught at Holland, Mich.

HOLLAND, Mich., Dec. 10.—City Marshal Vanry and Deputy Marshal Keppel caught three fire bugs in the act of setting a dwelling on fire with gasoline. Tim Slaght and Tim Smith, proprietors of the Crescent planing mill, and Cornelius Steffens, their teamster and cousin, are the men.

Cotton Factory Burns.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Dec. 10.—The Bank cotton factory in Lexington county was destroyed by fire last night. The origin is unknown. The loss is \$75,000; insurance, \$40,000.

PREY TO AWFUL FEAR.

Little Charlie Vandervoort Believed He Had Killed a Companion.

CHICAGO, Nov. 10.—His mind filled with the frightful conviction that he had slain one of his playmates, and firmly believing that he is a fugitive from the police, Charles Vandervoort of England, aged 15, has been absent from his home since Nov. 16. For nearly a week after the supposed killing the boy was in hiding in a cave at Sixty-ninth and Wright streets, where he was supplied with food and clothing by other boys, who for a joke kept him in ignorance of the fact that the boy whom he thought he had killed in reality sustained only a slight flesh wound on the cheek. After his week of immurement in the cave the boy, a prey to awful fancies, ventured out, and on the advice of his young companions, who still kept up the deception, took one last look at his home and the school he attended and boarded a Rock Island train for the far west. Since then the only tidings that have come from him were conveyed on a postal card which he wrote from Brooklyn, Iowa, under date of Nov. 28, which reached one of his companions Nov. 30. Young Vandervoort said he had a good place to sleep and plenty to eat, and inquired anxiously if the police had abandoned the search for him.

Newspaper Man Despairs.

ALTOONA, Pa., Dec. 10.—Yesterday afternoon, while alone at his home, James H. Ewing, a well-known newspaper man of this city, made a desperate attempt to end his life with a pocket knife. He ran the blade into his throat several times and then worked it about to make the wound larger. He is now at the hospital and the result of his attempt is in doubt.

Payne Jumps from a Train.

LOMBARD, Ill., Dec. 10.—John Payne, an insane man claiming to reside at Chicago, leaped from a Northwestern passenger train running at the rate of thirty miles an hour just east of here, early Saturday, and was badly injured. He had been found in the hallway of Police Justice Fisher's house and the justice placed him on the train en route to Chicago. Payne could not give any account of himself.

San Juan Irrigating Ditch Completed.

SAN MIGUEL, Mex., Dec. 10.—The great San Juan irrigation enterprise is complete, and water will soon be turned into 900 kilometres of canal. The work was done under government concession and cost \$3,000,000 in gold. The water is secured by damming the San Juan river. It will irrigate a vast area.

Suit for Half a Million.

DENVER, Dec. 10.—Heman Sturn has begun suit here against J. H. Hampson to recover \$500,000 for his services in obtaining a transfer to the defendant of a concession for a railroad from the City of Mexico to Palisade Bay on the Pacific coast.

Gen. Jesus H. Preciado Dead.

MEXICO CITY, Mexico, Dec. 10.—Gen. Jesus H. Preciado, governor of the state of Morelos and a prominent politician and military man, is dead at Cuernavaca, the state capital. His body will be brought to this city for interment.

CAN THE CITY BUY THE WATER WORKS

B. B. ELDRIDGE WRITES OF THE PRESENT TROUBLE.

Janesville Men Who Bought Out Turner, Clarke & Rawson—History of the Concern as Started and Various Changes It Went Through Up to the Present Time.

EDITOR GAZETTE:—The action commenced by the city against the Janesville Water Company for judicial determination of the respective rights of the parties in and to the water works system constructed under the franchise granted by the city of Janesville to Turner, Clarke & Rawson in May, 1887, should authorize the assumption that those involved intended an earnest and persistent defense and protection of such rights, and that such proceeding was not permitted as a mere threat, of no efficacy whatever.

If the latter alternative may not be the legitimate inference, was the meeting at Concordia Hall permitted for reasons other than a convenient opportunity for those to shuffle who in the origin of such works had so little faith in the ability of the mere citizen to manage his own affairs?

The scope of this action is extremely narrow, and the procedure simple-being in no sense the *summa* genus of legal practice, nor catholicon for all subjects of irritation, imaginary or otherwise, on the part of the city, citizen or company. The yard hydrant, the meter and all kindred subjects of controversy between the citizen and company, may go untouched, so far as this action is concerned. The supreme court, as regards contracts of this character, has held in one respect, at least, that there is no contract relation between the citizen and the water company. The extent of this rule of construction, and whether the private individual has rights, and if so, whether the same are subject to the caprice of a political council or an irresponsible corporation, is left in doubt. But the people may congratulate themselves that the contract and franchise under which the water works were constructed, contains the valuable reservation, under which the city can purchase the works at the cost of their construction and interest.

This reservation became operative in this way: During the earnest contest in the city and legislature on the subject of constructing water works and granting a franchise therefor to a company, in which most of our citizens took an active part, Turner, Clarke & Rawson, a partnership firm in Boston, through their resident agents in this city, to weaken the cause of those in opposition to such grant, executed a flank movement by agreeing that the reservation to purchase mentioned, be a part of the contract and franchise. This reservation, or more properly, the abatement thereof, is now the bone of contention by those, who are by this action seeking control and ownership of the franchise or plant, which I shall endeavor to make clear.

The franchise being accepted, the grantees to recover the advantage waived by the agreement mentioned, commenced a series of manipulations in the execution of the grant through the agency of an institution or institutions in kind of an *erratic credit mobilizer*; controlled exclusively, by themselves, to the end as is claimed, the apparent cost of the plant was more than double what was real, thereby hoping to discourage the city and render the reservation to purchase valueless, except to themselves.

To a correct understanding of the questions involved it is necessary to recite a little of history. The articles of association of the Janesville Water Company pursuant to which, and the statute of the state of Wisconsin, it was incorporated bear date of the 16th day of July 1887, and after the construction of the plant had been entered upon by the Wisconsin Construction Company of which Turner, Clarke & Rawson was respectively the president, treasurer and engineer. In the same year on July 8th these parties invite bids for the distribution of pipe along the line of the works. On the 9th of July 1887, the distribution thereof was made on West Milwaukee street and on the 14th of July 1887, pipe laying was commenced by Carroll E. Gray, Jr. to whom such work has been sublet by the Wisconsin Construction Company. And on the 16th of July 1888, the day prior to the test of the works under the contract, the parties named caused a statement to be published from which the following viz: is extracted. "The franchise was granted to Messrs. Turner, Clarke & Rawson of Boston, Mass., on the 10th day of May, 1887. The conditions of the franchise 'being well known.' * * The contract for the construction of the plant 'was let to the Wisconsin Construction Company of which George A. Rawson is the president; A. B. Turner the treasurer; J. E. Dodge the secretary and B. R. Clark the engineer. The laying of 'the pipe or water main' was sublet to Mr. Carroll E. Gray Jr." The deed whereby the plant and franchise mentioned were conveyed to the Janesville Water Company, purports to have been acknowledged by the grantors as of the 31st day of August, 1887. And as far as we have knowledge is the only source of the company's title to the same.

These facts are some evidence tending to show that the Janesville Water Company could not be responsible for

and cannot be charged with fraud respecting the original manipulations mentioned with the Wisconsin Construction Company.

At the organization of the Janesville Water Company, which is now the owner of this plant and the franchise, Botsford R. Clark, mentioned, was made president of the company and continued in that position until the sale and transfer of its entire capital stock, less net prior earnings and cash on hand, by Turner, Clarke & Rawson to W. G. Waxey of Oshkosh, Wis.; Malcolm G. Jeffris; George G. Sutherland and C. S. Jackman of this city, at a sum; comparatively a pittance, the reported cost of the plant and income considered.

This sale though—I venture the assertion—was not made until Turner, Clarke & Rawson were satisfied that the city would not forego its right of purchase wherein consisted the greater value of the franchise, a restraint upon its management and they had made all possible out of the same, by their prior contracts thereunder, including the sale of the company bonds, notwithstanding the franchise and plant, their present and prospective income considered was worth their reported cost and interest, but for the cities reserved right to purchase. They proposed, however, to sell and add the sum of five thousand dollars to their bank account, than to hold at a venture, which they considered extreme.

The purchase by the parties named was not made hurriedly nor inadvisedly. They commissioned one of their number to consult Turner, Clarke & Rawson, the owners, at Boston and report condition and terms. And by the bye, all the parties are reported business men and it is presumable that nothing at their Boston interview was said or done at random. The books respecting the subject of the interview duly verified, were presented to the inspection and the careful examination of the commissioned party, and all statements made tending towards the consummation of the sale and purchase, and no more or less.

This sale and transfer was effected to the satisfaction of all concerned in the deal, and none were more happy, so to speak, than each of the new owners; which condition of good feeling and harmony continued so long as each of the purchasers of the stock retained his interest in the property of the company.

In addition to the incidents mentioned at the Boston interview, it was thereafter further made to appear by a procured sworn statement, that the Janesville plant of that date, including the artesian well, and accrued interest, but less such deductions as are provided for in the franchise contract was the sum of three hundred and ten thousand dollars, and no one, to my knowledge, alleges whatever of fraud tergiversation against the purchasers in respect to these matters or the subsequent management of the company's affairs, nor in respect to its subsequent accounts. At the Concordia hall meeting though, Mr. Jeffris stated that the Janesville Water Works cost just one hundred twenty six thousand six hundred thirty-three dollars and fifty-eight cents, but he declined to state whence or when he obtained the knowledge on this subject, and it will avail us nothing to speculate.

It was also stated at the Concordia hall meeting, that the city would not have to incur any indebtedness or liability exceeding five thousand dollars in becoming the purchaser of the water works under the franchise contract, and also that if it did not desire to hold the property, persons on the committee of the Business Men's Association, who had examined this subject would contract with the city to defray the expenses of the action, and in addition thereto, pay the city the sum of ten thousand dollars for said works.

As to the first division of this statement, the franchise contract, which is the basis of this action says, viz.: "In consideration of the benefits that will result to the city of Janesville from the erection and operation of water works in said city, there is hereby granted unto the firm of Turner, Clarke & Rawson of Boston in the state of Massachusetts, their successors or assigns, who are hereafter known and designated as the grantees, the privilege of establishing, maintaining and operating water works in said city, for the furnishing of a pure and abundant supply of water for a period of twenty years from the date and passage of this ordinance; the said city of Janesville reserving the right to purchase said water works at the end of seven years from their acceptance by the city at a sum which shall, together with the net earnings of the works, return to the owners the full cost of the works and seven per cent annual interest thereon;" and by such franchise the right to issue bonds and incur the works to the extent of the cost thereof, is conceded to the grantees and their assigns. This statement of the contract without argument, is a clear refutation of such claim; and it is inconceivable how property can be purchased and not paid for without creating a liability, or how your paper or my paper can be used by the city to pay for property purchased without obligating itself therefor. And by this ordinance contract the city has no equity in these water works to buy or sell. And shall judgment of performance be entered in this action, what use will the city make of it, be it not able to purchase; and will its provisions be constant and continuing, or will a day be fixed in which it must be complied with on the one part and performed on the other part? These

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BRAINS, NOT MONEY WAS THE STANDARD

REV. SABIN HALSEY TELLS OF WOMAN'S JUDGMENT.

In His Sermon "On What Young Ladies Thought Young Men Should Be" He Said Gold and Good Looks Didn't Go Far—Meetings in Other Churches.

The Rev. Sabin Halsey preached a sermon on "What Young Women Think Young Men Should Be" at the Court Street Methodist church Sunday evening. He based his arguments on the responses given by thirty young women to interrogatories concerning their ideal of a young man. The speaker discussed under three heads the opinions of young women, indicating the qualities demanded of young men expecting to win and hold their confidence and love through life.

First, not in importance, but in the order of arrangement, were physical characteristics. Not a word was written in the thirty letters about beauty. A sensible young woman qualified to be a help through life wanted a young man to be something more than a dude with a waxed mustache, more than a walking advertisement for a tailor shop, a dummy in a show window, or a wax doll with painted cheeks and blue eyes. He must possess a healthy, vigorous, strong body. This indicated the quick intuition of a woman's brains. God made man the bread winner, the leader of forces, and the defender of the home. His mission was to do the rough work and fight the battles of life against poverty.

Should Shun Strong Drink.

A genuine woman never felt quite comfortable and at her best in the presence of a man whose blood had turned to water, or whose body had been broken into pieces and then stuck together again by the doctors. To insure good health a young man must be strictly temperate. Strong drink left him a wreck without strength to meet the responsibilities placed upon him. Some were old at forty, others died prematurely as the result of intemperance in youth. Excesses of all kinds were to be avoided. Intemperance in strong drink was not the only thing sapping the fountain of health and manly strength. We crowded years into weeks, weeks into hours and hours into seconds. In business, social and professional life, the tendency was to run into excesses leaving the body the inheritance of weakness. The second class of facts contained in the letters touched a young man's mental endowments. Not a word was said about wealth or position held.

Brains More Than Gold.

Young women to-day cared more for brains in a young man than for gold in his pocket; more for ability to push his way to the front and bring things to pass than for an inheritance left him by his relatives. A few girls who saw nothing in life but silks, artificial flowers, druggists' cosmetics, and the silly conversation of fashionable society, might demand wealth; but sensible girls, able to care for themselves, placed the crown of honor where it properly belonged, on brains. Mediocrity might be equal to soft words of flattery, but that was not a woman's ideal for a companion through life. "Who have succeeded in reaching the highest positions of honor?" he asked. "Men of brains who have come up out of the lap of poverty, and won in the great conflicts of life."

The third class of facts touched the social side of a young man's nature. Didn't Want All Brains.

No woman wanted a man who was nothing but a bundle of flesh in human form, or who was all brains. He believed the most abandoned woman in the city respected a man who maintained the integrity of his character in the face of temptation, and would defend his good name against the world. Purity of character never failed to win and hold a woman's confidence through adversity as well as prosperity. A great deal was said today about reforming women as a protection to overgrown weaklings. Mr. Halsey believed in everything that was being done in this direction, but sometimes the conviction grew upon him that reformation should begin with those who represent the other half of the race. Women had long borne with patience the burden of social impurity, while men had gone forth to walk the earth as if they were sanctified saints without a single spot on their garments of white.

Twelve New Members.

Proof of the success of Rev. E. H. Pence as pastor of the Presbyterian church, is given by the steady growth in membership. Twelve new members were admitted before the communion service yesterday morning. Rev. Mr. Pence's sermon was an able one.

The revival meeting was held in the Congregational church last night, the Congregational and Baptist churches uniting. Rev. Mr. Merrill preached on the calling down of fire from heaven by the prophet Elijah. He drew many practical parallels. There was good singing by the Cheney quartette and instrumental music by the Y. M. C. A. orchestra.

This evening there will be a special meeting at the Baptist church for soldiers. Seats will be reserved for the veterans, but everybody is most cordially invited.

On the evening of December 24 the Union Hose Companies will give a ball at the Armory. The best music has been obtained and a grand time will be the occasion. Christmas Eve, ball, it will be very attractive.

NEW FALL STYLE OF "GREEN GOODS"

New York Man Has Counterparts That Are Good and Cheap.

"Green goods" of a peculiarly alluring type are now being offered to Janesville people by means of a new style of circular. The writer calls attention to previous circulars being sent out by irresponsible persons; until now no perfect goods have been upon the market. He wants good, reliable men to handle his goods; he does not approve of too lengthy a correspondence; a man who represents him must keep his own counsel; he is not in the business for health or fun; there are two ways to do business, right and wrong; the nature of his business makes it necessary for him to be cautious; he must have a personal interview, that is he wants a man to wire him, go to New York with a few hundred, get a crack on the head with a club, be robbed of his money and come home sick; once a party engages him they are as deep in the mud as he is; his terms are cash; he has had an experience of eight years in the United States treasury department and engraved plates, etc.; one thing he desires to say is that if the person goes and meets him they will meet a gentleman; he wants no man to write him letters, simply to send a telegram and that is all, he will do the rest. His prices are reasonable, \$450 will buy \$5,000; \$700 will buy \$10,000; \$1,200 will buy \$20,000, and so on up.

STATE JOBS WON'T COME FAST

No Appointment to Be Made to Offices Until Terms Expire.

It is now pretty generally understood that Governor-elect Upham will not now consider application for positions in which there will be no vacancies in January. Among these positions are the state board of control and in the bureau of statistics. Unless the legislature in some number changes those offices there will be no vacancies for the present, and applications for the positions will not be considered. Jere Dobbs claims that his term runs for two years longer, and if he can substantiate his claim there may not be an appointment to his place for some time to come. The supervising inspector of oils will not be appointed until March and the appointment of the local inspectors will come later.

BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL NEWS.

ANNUAL clearing sale of gloves and mittens. J. D. Holmes.

GLOVES and mittens cheapest at Holmes' clearing sale.

GET the other fellows prices on gloves and mittens, then call and see our goods and you will buy. J. D. Holmes.

SCARCELY a day passes but we get from one to five new customers, they all have been trading at some other store, but have read our advertisements and prices, and concluded this is the grocery store they have been looking for. Somebody must be suffering. Dunn Bros.

COMPLETE your sets of World's fair views. Memories of the great exposition are treasures to be guarded jealously, and in no way can they be recalled as vividly as by well-executed pictures. Call at the Gazette office for Shepp's series. A few complete sets may still be had.

We hit it hard this time. We never trifle with prices. Just think, Vanderpool coal \$1.50 per ton. We can give you a good soft coal for \$2 per ton. If you want good coal cheap come and see us. Why, several good reliable parties came to our office and told us that our roller screened No 4 and range are worth \$1 per ton more than coal handled the old way. J. H. Gateley, Manager.

State and County Tax Notice.

To WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:—The tax rolls and warrant for the collection of state and county taxes for the city of Janesville, Wis., are now in my hands for collection and all persons interested are requested to make payment thereof at the office of the city treasurer, or the same will be collected at the cost and expense to the person liable for the payment of said taxes. JAS. A. FATHERS, City Treasurer. Dated the 4th day of December, 1894.

Holiday Excursions.

For Christmas and New Year, the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway will sell excursion tickets at a fare and a third for the round trip, Dec. 24th and 25th and 31st, and Jan. 1st, good to return until Jan. 2, 1895, to points within 200 miles of Janesville.

SONS OF ADAM.

Sugar as a food is said to be a promoter of muscular power.

A farmer of Conway, Ky., 73 years old, was recently married to a 13-year-old girl of the same place.

A sign over a bird and animal store in San Francisco reads: Talking parrots, monkeys and dogs.

It is one of the strange things of human nature that a man will walk three blocks out of his way to look at a thermometer, and then curse the weather.

Baboon—Me boy, you look as if you had just stepped out of a fashion-plate. Crinkleton—That so? I knew I had rheumatism, but I didn't suppose I was as stiff as that!

In Austrian society it is the custom to take a partner for only one round of a dance. By this means ladies and gentlemen change partners five or six times in a single dance.

Hugh Frail, aged 101, who was in the hands of the police for getting high on the Bowery, a short time ago, was arrested the other night in Rondout, N. Y., for a similar elevation.

EVERY MAN VOTED ON ELECTION DAY

NO "STAY AT HOMES" FIGURED THIS FALL.

The Total Number of Ballots Cast Was 375,449 the Largest Ever Counted in the State—Governor Elect Upham's Plurality Is 53,900 and His Majority 17,056.

"Stay-at-homes" did not contribute to democracy's defeat in Wisconsin this year as is shown in the official canvass conducted by the State Board of Canvassers which consists of the secretary of state, the attorney general and the state treasurer.

Major Upham's plurality for governor is 53,900, and his majority 17,056. There were 3,782 more votes cast for governor than for any other state officer. The total vote 375,449, is the largest ever cast in the state, the next highest being 371,581 at the presidential election in 1892. Emil Baensch, for lieutenant governor, received the highest vote ever cast for any candidate in the state, 198,181. Sewell A. Peterson, for state treasurer, is second, with 197,742. Henry Casson, for secretary of state, is next, with 197,710.

The official vote is as follows:

For Governor—	Whole number of votes cast.....	375,449
Upham, republican.....	196,150	
Peck, democrat.....	142,250	
Power, people's.....	35,094	
Cleghorn, prohibition.....	11,240	
Scattering.....	205	
For Lieutenant Governor—	Whole number of votes cast.....	371,687
Baensch.....	198,181	
Schmitz.....	137,128	
Smock.....	24,676	
Olson.....	11,455	
For Secretary of State—	Whole number of votes cast.....	371,115
Casson.....	197,710	
Cunningham.....	197,710	
Larrabee.....	24,452	
Van.....	10,969	
For State Treasurer—	Whole number of votes cast.....	371,314
Peterson.....	197,742	
Hunner.....	137,775	
Scherzinger.....	24,405	
Johnson.....	11,161	
For Attorney General—	Whole number of votes cast.....	371,084
Myra.....	197,709	
O'Connor.....	137,493	
Runge.....	24,445	
Lomas.....	11,214	
For State Superintendent—	Whole number of votes cast.....	370,736
Emery.....	197,663	
Schultz.....	137,565	
Ulrich.....	24,641	
Faton.....	11,229	
For Railroad Commissioner—	Whole number of votes cast.....	370,773
McKenzie.....	197,229	
Prescott.....	137,267	
Lawler.....	24,693	
Evans.....	11,229	
For Commissioner of Insurance—	Whole number of votes cast.....	369,794
Fricke.....	197,343	
Skaar.....	136,523	
Stoltze.....	24,616	
Edwards.....	11,241	

The Plurality is as follows:

Upham.....	53,900
Baensch.....	61,263
Casson.....	60,125
Peterson.....	59,967
Myra.....	60,226
Emery.....	59,498
McKenzie.....	59,962
Fricke.....	60,820

The average republican plurality is a fraction over 59,456.

The populists, on the vote for governor, gained 15,964 over their vote two years ago, getting 25,004 this year. The prohibitionists with 11,240 this year, lost 2,025 from their vote two years ago.

The vote in this congressional district was as follows:

H. A. Cooper.....	21,572
A. Kull.....	12,334

Cooper's plurality..... 9,638

Janesville Markets.

Range of prices in the local market. Quotations corrected daily by Frank Gray.

Flour—80c @ \$1 per sack
Wheat—Good to best quality 50c @ 55c.
BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—75c per 25 lb sack
RYE—In good request at 40c @ 50c per 100 lbs.
BARLEY—At 40c @ 45c; according to quality.
BUC WHEAT—50c @ 60c per 52 lbs.
BEANS—Old \$1.30 \$1.00 per bu.
CORN—Old 43c @ 45c; new ear, per 70 lbs, 34c @ 35c.
OATS—White At 27c @ 28c;
GROUND FEED—\$1.00 @ \$1.10 per 100 lbs.
MEAL—\$1 per 100 lbs. Bolted \$1.50.
BRAN—75c per 100 lbs. \$1.00 per ton
MIDDLINGS—75c per 100, \$15.00 per ton.
HAY—Timothy per ton, \$7.50 @ \$8.50; other kinds \$6 @ 7.
STRAW—Per ton—\$5.00 @ \$5.50.
CLOVER SEED—\$1.50 @ \$2.00 per bushel.
TIMOTHY SEED—\$1.85 @ \$2.10.
POTATOES—new 50c @ 55c per bushel
BUCKWHEAT FEED—\$10.00 per ton.
WHEAT—Salable at 12c @ 15c, for washed and 2c @ 12c for unwashed.
BUTTER—Dull at 18c @ 19c.
EGGS—Scarce at 17c @ 18 doz.
HIDES—Green 20c @ 25c. Dry 15c @ 20c.
FATS—Range at 25c @ 27.5c each.
POULTRY—Turkeys 72c @ 75c chickens 60c @ 65c.
LIVE STOCK—Hogs \$3.75 @ \$4.25 per 100 lbs
Cattle 2.00 @ 2.25

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"I suppose you'll be buying your daughter a piano before long," said one man to another.

"Never; if I can help it," was the reply. "The household music fad has, in my opinion, been worked out. The average girl who has a piano and takes lessons spends a great deal of money and an incalculable amount of time to learn only enough music thoroughly to murder everything she tries to play. She keeps at it for a year or two while she is young, but as soon as she gets old enough to appreciate the fact that time and energy are worth something, she locks up her piano and there is an end of it. She usually spends the rest of her life wishing she had the money she had wasted trying to learn to be a musician."

"Of course, if a person has a pronounced musical faculty, I believe in cultivating it, as I would any other faculty. But these miscellaneous efforts to manufacture musicians out of all kinds of material seem to me as ridiculous as it would be to try to teach anybody who desired the accomplishment to become a poet or artist."

And John Smith walked up and shook hands with the speaker as one citizen who had a sensible idea in his head.

Something That Won't Do at Whist.

Oh, no, it would never do to have a husband and wife partners at the whist table. It is a well-known fact that people who have played partners at whist are forever after either open or covert enemies. Think, then, of the terrible consequence in case the partners were man and wife! The wife would lecture her husband all night and every night on how he ought to have played, and the husband would make a bear of himself, and all because she happened to trump his trick or failed to return his lead. Oh, no, 'twould never do. The

If the Baby Is Cutting Teeth,
Be sure and use that old and well-tried remedy Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty five cents a bottle.

Breakers Ahead!

Prudence, foresight, that might have saved many a good ship that has gone to pieces among the breakers, is a quality "conspicuous by its absence" among many classes of invalids, and among none more notably than persons troubled with inactivity of the kidneys and bladder. When these organs fall off in duty, grievous trouble is to be apprehended. Bright's disease, diabetes, catarrh and stone in the bladder, are among the diseases which a disregard of early symptoms confirm and render fatal. That signally effective diuretic, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, will—and let no one so troubled forget this—remedy the symptoms of approaching renal disease and check its further progress. Equally efficacious is the Bitters for constipation, liver complaint, malarial and rheumatic trouble and debility.

The Oldest Pensioner.

Andrew Franklin, of Burlington, Kan., is one of the oldest pensioners on the rolls of the war department, having been born on Christmas day, 1791. He fought in the war of 1812, in two Indian wars, and served as a teamster in the civil war. In spite of his 103 years, Franklin, it is said, "can do more chores than most men of 60."



A NARROW ESCAPE!

How it Happened.

The following remarkable event in a lady's life will astonish the reader: "For a long time I had a terrible pain at my heart, which fluttered almost incessantly. I had no appetite and could not sleep. I would be compelled to sit up in bed and rest; but, thank God, by the help of New Heart Cure all that is past and I feel like another woman. Before using the New Heart Cure I had taken different so-called remedies and been treated by doctors without any benefit until I was both discouraged and disgusted. My husband bought me a bottle of Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure, and am happy to say I never regretted it, as I now have a splendid appetite and sleep well. I weighed 125 pounds when I began taking the remedy, and now I weigh 130½. Its effect in my case has been truly marvelous. It far surpasses any other medicine I have ever taken or any benefit I ever received from physicians."—Mrs. Harry Starr, Pottsville, Pa., October 12, 1892.

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THIS DAY IN HISTORY

1653—"The Great Conde" (Louis, prince of Conde) died; born 1620.
 1749—The Austrians driven from Genoa.
 1792—Louis XVI brought to trial by the French convention of revolutionists.
 1805—William Lloyd Garrison born; died 1879.
 1817—Mississippi became a state.
 1822—Andrew Jackson issued his proclamation against the nullifiers of South Carolina.
 1833—Harper's publishing house in New York burned; loss, over \$1,000,000.
 1856—Dr. Livingstone reached London and gave an account of his 15 years' sojourn in the heart of Africa.
 1870—The new German empire proclaimed at Berlin. Dumas the elder died; born 1803.
 1877—Fall of Plevna; surrender of Osman Pasha with 30,000 soldiers.
 1888—Rear Admiral William Edgar LeRoy, U. S. N., died; born 1817.
 1889—Theater panic in Johnstown, Pa.; 12 killed. Oliver Johnson, author and agitator, died in Brooklyn; born 1809.
 1890—Benjamin Shaw, inventor, died at Lowell, Mass.; born 1822. Dr. Koch's consumption cure introduced into America at New York city.

BIG ARMIES IN BATTLE.

Greatest Number Engaged in Modern Times Was at Leipzig in 1813.

Without doubt, of all the battles recorded in modern history, the longest and sternest, as well as the one in which most men were engaged, was the memorable battle of Leipzig, October 16, 18, 19, 1813, called by the Germans the battle of the nations. The number of troops engaged is variously stated by different writers at from 136,000 to 190,000 on the side of Napoleon I, and from 230,000 to 290,000 on that of the allies under Prince Schwartzburg, Blucher and Bernadotte. In this awful battle the slain on both sides amounted to 80,000, and thousands of the wounded lay for days around the city. In the battle of Koniggratz, or Sadowa, July 3, 1866, fought during the "Seven weeks' war," the allied Austrian and Saxon troops engaged amounted to about 200,000 men, while the Prussians, under their king, mustered in round numbers 260,000 combatants. The total loss of the Austrians, etc., amounted to about 40,000 men while that of the Prussians was 10,000. If we go back to the melee of ancient days, we find it stated that at the one fought at Tours in 732 between the Franks and the Saracens, from 350,000 to 375,000 men were killed on the field. This would, of course, mean that many more men were engaged than at Leipzig. In a battle mentioned in Chronicles II, between Asa, king of Judah, and Rehah, king of Ethiopia, we are told that the former had an army of a thousand thousand, or 1,000,000. Canon Rawlinson observes that this statement does not exceed the numbers of other oriental armies. Darius Codomannus brought into the field a force of 1,040,000 men near Arbela, where he was finally defeated by Alexander the Great 331 B. C. Xerxes, too, Professor Rawlinson says, crossed into Greece with certainly above 1,000,000 combatants, and Artaxerxes Mnemon collected 1,360,000 men to meet the attack of the younger Cyrus.

CARRIES A TORCH.

A Deep Sea Fish Which Can Turn on the Light at Pleasure.

Scientists have recently introduced a novelty in the finny world in the shape of the linophryne lucifer, but it is a deal easier to call it by its every day name—the torchfish. He is a deep sea fish, carrying on his nose an organ which he can illuminate with a phosphorescent light or extinguish it at pleasure. He does not use his lantern to guide him on his pathless course in the dark depths of ocean or enable him to look around him, but when meal time comes he lights up to attract smaller fishes, which, mistaking the lantern for a phosphorescent insect, dart straight for it, only to find their way into the capacious jaws of linophryne lucifer. The mode in which the lantern is lighted and extinguished is not yet clearly understood. Nikola Tesla, the eminent electrician, is of the opinion that if such a fish exists, and if it has the attributes credited to it, it is very strange that neither Lord Rayleigh nor Professor S. P. Langley had made any mention of it in their researches. Mr. Tesla is also of the opinion that if the phosphorescent does exist it is not of an electrical origin.

G. Brown Goode, assistant secretary of the Smithsonian institution, writes of the torch-fish. "It is not positively known that the organ on the nasal filament of linophryne is luminous, although it appears probable. The idea that the fish has the power of illuminating it at pleasure is, so far as I know, purely conjectural, the idea having been suggested by Dr. Gunther, of the British museum. I think no one has seriously supposed that the phosphorescence is due to an electrical source."

Sacred Cattle.

The sacred cattle of India take more readily to American ways than do the people of that land, according to the caretakers of the national quarantine for cattle at Garfield, N. J., where there is a small herd of the animals, imported for Oliver H. P. Belmont. Said one of these men: "Mr. Belmont sent for the cattle

some of the native food. It is a grain or berry, which, when ground up, resembles ground chicory. The cattle ate it all right, but after a few days here they became sickly. The superintendent gave them some Yankee feed, on which they immediately began to thrive, and now they won't touch the feed sent over with them."

Kitchen French.

Kitchen French is sometimes meaningless and not to be translated, but some of its most familiar phrases have curious and instructive histories. Haricot de mouton, mutton stew with potatoes, is said to be nothing more than "aliquote de mouton," which means mutton chopped up into morsels or aliquot parts. Flageolet, the familiar kitchen French for a species of bean, comes from the Latin phaseolus, a bean. It was corrupted first into faviole, and then a spurious diminutive flageolet to describe a small bean. There was an intermediate stage in which the word had the forms faviolet and fasiolet.

Tallest Militia Company in America.

Six feet one and one-half inches! That is the average height of the thirty new recruits of Company A, Oregon N. G. The company has always been noted for its tall men, having now in its ranks twenty whose heights average 5 feet 11½ inches. With the enlistment of these new giants the ranks of company A will be much fuller than those of the average company, and the average height of its enlisted men will be 6 feet. It will be, it is claimed, the tallest company in the United States.

FAITHFUL TO HIS TRUST.

Story of an Indiana Husband's Devotion to His Domestic Duty.

Into a city hospital recently was brought a man on a stretcher. He was battered, and bruised, and unconscious. He had been knocked from a bridge to the ground below. He was a strong, rugged looking man. The doctors laid him on the operating table to examine him. They felt his chest and his ribs, his arms and legs, and carefully went over his head, taking stock, as it were, of the broken bones. He was seriously injured, and it was a question in the minds of the doctors as to whether he could recover. When he began to come to his senses he gasped for breath, and coughed in a dry, hard way that made the doctors fear an internal hemorrhage. They would not have been surprised to see him give up the struggle.

"He's trying to say something," said one of the physicians. They gathered around him, propped him up slightly and watched him, waiting. The expression on the wounded man's face was full of anxiety and he seemed to be trying hard to say something important.

"Give him a stimulant," suggested one of the doctors. A glass of whisky was brought and placed to his lips. He drank it all with an evident effort, and between the coughs he gasped out: "I wish—you'd—tell—my—wife—that—the—meat—for—dinner's—in—my—coat—pocket." Then he fell back on the table and was carried in an unconscious state to his home.

"Faithful to his wife's last commission," was the doctor's tender comment.

AFTER MANY YEARS.

Forty-Five Years of a Man's Life a Dull Blank.

A Portland narrator has a story to tell of scientific as well as popular interest, bearing upon the little understood machinery of that most wondrous organism, the human brain. "In the village of Lube," says the Portland raconteur, "lives Clem Wallis. When he was a boy about 15 years of age he went out to his father's pasture to catch a frisky colt. As he was about to place a halter around his neck the colt kicked him in the head, making a ragged wound. The wound healed, but in soon became apparent the man was slightly demented, and his hallucination took peculiar forms. He would travel up and down the bay on the steamboats, claiming proprietorship of the latter and refusing to pay fare. The steamboat men humored him, as he was considered daft, and he was the butt of the small boys' jokes and banter. He has lived in the village since and is now 60 years of age. About six weeks ago the local physicians determined to experiment on his case. They found that a portion of his skull had been forced into contact with the brain by the blow, and by a skillful operation removed the pressure. Strange to say, the man has now recovered his reason, and the first question he asked when he recovered from the operation was, 'Did the colt get away?' Wallis is perfectly sane now, but forty-five years of his life are a perfect blank to him."

Seeing What They Do Not See.

A firm whose place of business is in the Bowery has devised a novel scheme of attracting people to its show windows. The window panes are large and costly. On the inside of the glass a number of lines of green paint have been put on, so that they represent a broken window plate. Every detail has been so cleverly perfected that the deception is complete, and the curiosity of the wayfarers is so excited that they step to the window and touch it, only to find that it is a mockery.

A Long-Felt Want.

A druggist's clerk in Boston has succeeded in making a medicine which will deprive a cat of its voice without injuring it in the least. Seven large Tom cats were experimented upon last week. They sat on the peak of a roof and made frightful faces at each other for four hours without uttering a sound.

CAN THE CITY BUY THE WATER WORKS

(Continued from the Second Page.)

are highly important questions, which could have had mature consideration, and exigencies have been provided for before the commencement of his action.

At this juncture arises this important question, can or will this city, its legal status and indebtedness considered, purchase these works? And if it cannot, as was conceded at the Concordia Hall meeting, or will not, on account of other needed works, or pressing obligations, is strong evidence of his action not being prosecuted for the sole benefit of the city.

And as to the second division of this statement; should the proposed contract of the persons of the Business Men's committee be consummated, the court on proof thereof would probably dismiss the action. But could a contract of the kind be made effectual, and the works thereunder be conveyed, the city being the grantor, the ordinance granting the franchise would be thereby greatly changed, and especially in this respect, the franchise would forever thereafter be relieved of the cities reservation to purchase the water works; wherein I have endeavored to show consists the greater value of the franchise and plant, not only to the owners but to the city and citizens; such being a powerful restraining clause, and preventive of abuses in the management of the works so long as it continues. The ordinance being bereft of this provision the city thereafter could not purchase at twice "the full cost of the works and seven per cent. annual interest thereon."

The city of Janesville should own water works and an abundant supply of pure water for all city purposes, and that of the citizen, without thought of an income therefrom other than sufficient to defray running expenses thereof and to pay for repairs, additions or extensions.

B. B. ELDRIDGE.

Janesville, Dec. 8, 1894.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
 Most Perfect Made

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—A new house with all modern improvements, in a desirable location. Dr. Sutherland.

FOR RENT—163 South Main street, two blocks from court house park. Inquire next door east.

FOR RENT—A first class house and barn in the second ward, centrally located, and in perfect repair. Enquire at Gazette office.

FOR RENT—House and barn in good repair, city water. Corner Prospect avenue and East street. Enquire at 234 Milton avenue.

MISCELLANEOUS

FORD & Vin-y are rushed putting on the Nor-ris Weather Strip. See them or leave your orders at Sherer's or Smith's drug store, and get them as soon as possible.

BUY your wife a parrot for Christmas and have some talking in the house. Splendid ones at Helms' store.

20 of these Japanese stoves left at Helms' store, 25 cents and \$1 per lesson. Address 355 South Bond street, near the music stores.

MRS. C. E. BUCHNER, a competent teacher of the pianoforte, will receive pupils at 50 cents, 75 cents and \$1 per lesson. Address 355 South Bond street, near the music stores.

MONEY to loan on good mortgage, security C. E. Bowles.

400 acres of improved land, to exchange for 80 acres of improved land in Rock County. C. S. Graves, 25 West Milwaukee street.

FOR SALE—Two Regina music boxes, at Helms' store's drugstore.

FOR SALE—Coal stove two stoves, one wall case, at Helms' store's drugstore.

FOR SALE—A new milk cow, half Jersey, Enquire of George Seefeldt, Milton Ave.

FOR SALE—A first class Brunswick billiard table for sale cheap. Address G. C. Babcock, Clinton, Wis.

WANTED

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Enquire 183 Madison street.

WANTED—By willing young man—place to work mornings, evenings and Saturdays, for his beard. Address Box 1573, P. O.

IF YOU want a HACK for parties or theaters, if you want a phaeton with a quiet driver for a lady, a one or two horse surry, if you want HORSES BOARDED, apply to

WILL DAVIS, 111 E. Milwaukee St. or Telephone 69.

LIKE UNTO A JAY...

Some of our competitors are. Like the above bird they keep repeating that old, old and thread bare story of Who? Who? Who is the next victim of mispending confidence?

We never try to fool with the public, because they might possibly happen to find it out and when they did—all's up—but we are a little long and strong on UNDERWEAR and propose to reduce it very much by New Year's, prices will do it.

Wright's Pileed Lined, was \$1.00 now .87½
 Very Heavy Balbriggan, was 1.00 now .87½
 Heavy Gray Natural Wool, was 1.00 now .87½
 Elegant Luzerne, in gold, blue, was 1.50 now 1.25
 Jersey Ribbed, was .50 now .40
 Wilson Bros. Merino, was .87½ now .75

A few odd shirts and drawers in many sizes, to go at

Wholesale :: Cost.

Make a Note of this.

KNEFF & ALLEN.

NOTHING TOO GOOD

For our patrons, says the Largest Clothing House in the city.

As the Sun Glorifies and Brightens everything upon earth, so have our Astounding Low Prices Glorified and Brightened the homes of thousands of the money-pinched Bread-winners of this fair city.

Hurled like a mighty thunder-bolt into the camps of our dismayed and panic-stricken imitators--- routing the allied forces of High Prices, Misfits and Imitation. Our announcement of

\$10,000 WORTH OF

CLOTHING

—AT—

48c ON... THE dollar.

came like the news of Plenty amid a Famine, and hundreds upon hundreds hastened to take advantage of this most extraordinary opportunity. Thanked on every hand by the grateful beneficiaries of this most welcome offer, we open our doors again Monday with a renewed desire to assist those for whose sole benefit these Unparalleled Bargains have been created, and which will be maintained—along with the Lowest Possible Prices, until the present fine Tailor Made stock of \$10,000 is sold at

48c On the Dollar.

MEN'S	BOYS'	CHILDREN'S
Suits.	Suits.	Suits.
Men's \$8 and \$10 suits, some strictly all wool, will go at.....	Ages 12 to 19 Long Pants styles worth \$5 and \$6 for.....	Ages 4 to 15. Short Pants Styles, worth \$2.50 for.....
Men's regular \$12 and \$14 all-wool suits in this sale.....	Medium and Dark Colors, some all wool, worth \$7 at.....	Reefer Suits, with deep sailor collars; worth \$3 for.....
Men's Fine \$15 and \$16 Suits, splendid values, for.....	Fine Clay Worsted Suits, Cassimeres etc., worth \$12 at.....	Elegant variety of Boys' Suits reefer, etc., worth \$6.....
Men's Elegant \$18 and \$20 custom made suits for.....	Boys' Fine Custom Made Suits, regular price \$14, at.....	Fine Materials, Stylish Patterns worth \$8 and \$9 for.....
Men's Finest \$24 and \$25 suits, equal to made-to-order work....	Stylish Cut Suits, latest materials, worth \$16 at.....	
15	10	5
MEN'S	BOYS'	MENS' AND BOYS'
Overcoats.	Overcoats.	Hats AND Caps
Men's Ulsters and Sack Overcoats worth \$8 and \$10, for.....	One lot of Warm Overcoats, worth \$2.50 for.....	Men's Stylish Soft or Stiff Fur Hats, worth \$1.50 at.....
Men's Beaver Kersey and Melton Overcoats, worth \$12 at.....	Stylish Cape Overcoats, in great variety, go for.....	Men's and Boys' winter Caps with Side Band.....
Men's stylish \$15 Overcoats, hundreds to pick from.....	Boys' Dress Overcoats all the latest materials at.....	New Novelties for Boys, Reefer Caps, etc., worth \$1.....
Men's Custom Made overcoats, worth \$18 and \$20.....	Boys' Finest Qualities in Extra Long Cut and Ulsters..	Men's \$3 and \$2.50 Soft and Stiff Hats, correct shapes....
15	10	5

T. J. ZEIGLER,

E. J. SMITH, Mgr.

Main & Milwaukee

HIGH SCHOOL WORK TO BE LOOKED INTO

AN INVESTIGATION WILL PROBABLY BE MADE.

Mayor Thoroughgood Wants All Parties to Have Justice in the Matter and Will Get Those in Authority Together to Talk It Over—News of the Town.

"THERE appears to be considerable feeling and uneasiness concerning the new high school building," said Mayor Thoroughgood today. "I don't know whether there are good grounds for this or not. However, a great many persons have spoken to me about it. I don't know that I have jurisdiction, perhaps not, yet I feel that it should be investigated and the citizens who have children should understand that the work has been done in such a manner as to make the building safe, and leave no ground for fear. As I have said, I don't know that this is my business, but I do know that there should be an investigation of these reports. Therefore I will try and get the school committee of the common council, the members of the board of education, the superintendent and the contractors, with some other competent parties together, that we may learn the true facts. If these gentlemen decline to meet for the purpose, it will be in order to feel alarmed about the building. My sole purpose is to ascertain the true facts, and thus end fault finding."

We have one of the most thorough optical departments in Southern Wisconsin. Our Mr. Burnham is a master in adjusting glasses, and can fit you in the best approved style. A pair of spectacles will make a very handsome Christmas present, and we would be pleased to wait upon you as we have no hesitancy in stating that we can please the most skeptical. S. C. Burnham & Co., Jewelers and Music Dealers.

THE backward weather and warm days make shoes move a little slow. We are not satisfied and in order to force things have made another reduction. We won't be idle we will sell if we don't make a cent a pair. Look out for our Christmas slipper opening. See display ad. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

INTELLIGENT consideration is given to the shape, color, cut and brilliancy of all the diamonds purchased by A. F. Hall & Co. No matter how large or how small, every diamond bought undergoes a most careful scrutiny. You do not pay a big price for a poor quality when you buy a diamond from "the reliable jewelers."

We will clean out a great portion of this stock before spring. We will keep on cutting and cutting until we have accomplished our work. Anything you want come to us after you have been to the other furniture stores and we will sell cheaper, cash or credit. Frank D. Kimball.

"EVERYBODY knows about it, you see. It's getting celebrated," she said, and then Mrs. X went on to tell of what she saw at A. F. Hall & Co's, "the reliable jewelers." She could not remember half, but was sure on two important points: Everything was pretty and everything was low in price, and that seems to be the experience of everyone.

ORDER your custom suits and overcoats now, so as to have them for Christmas. We are very busy in the tailoring department, but have a large force of tailors and can fill orders in short notice. Perfect fit guaranteed. Workmanship the best and prices moderate. J. Weisend, leading tailor.

GIVING solid silver for Christmas is as right as can be. And of course you know about the big stock carried by A. F. Hall & Co., "the reliable jewelers" and how they buy big lots directly from the largest makers, and sell so cheap that they can afford to sell it so cheap.

No one would want to give a common umbrella for a Christmas gift. A. F. Hall & Co., "the reliable jewelers," have a nice stock of made to order umbrellas. The kind that wear well and look well, and the prices are low enough.

THOMAS HINES was arraigned in the municipal court this morning on the charge of drunk and disorderly conduct, and was adjudged guilty. A fine of \$3 and costs was imposed, and in default of payment he was sent to jail for five days.

FOR solid sterling and plate silverware at wholesale prices, see King & Skelly. We have made an arrangement whereby we can furnish the people of Janesville and vicinity with the above line at prices that will astonish you. Quality and style guaranteed.

LADIES' card cases in leather, silver mounted; ladies' pocket books in leather silver mounted, ladies' purses, gents' pocket books, gents' bill books, gents' purses, children's purses and pocket books. An endless variety at King & Skelly's bookstore.

As fast as we could measure off the dresses and tie them up, they went Saturday. The greatest 50 cent dress goods sale ever known in southern Wisconsin. Bort, Bailey & Co.

We have a lot of slippers named in today's large advertisement, that are bargains. We don't remain idle. We won't remain idle. These prices are all values. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

H. WHITTAKER is home from Hull, where he was a delegate to national convention of the barbers' union. Mr. Whittaker was elected president, which fact makes him the executive board. The

financial system of the union has also changed, so that sick and death benefits will be paid direct from the international treasury instead of by the local unions. The per capita tax was increased from ten to twenty-five per cent, and future meetings will be held but once in two years, instead of annually. Evansville, Indiana, was selected as the next meeting place.

PATRICK CANTWELL, a machinist in the New Doty Manufacturing Company, lost the first joint of the third finger of the right hand of getting it caught in a machine, and had the first finger severely crushed. Dr. W. H. Judd attended him.

O. D. LINCOLN fully appreciates the thoughtfulness of the many friends, who have rallied around him in his hour of dark bereavement. The genuine sympathy expressed on every hand, indicates the sorrow and is eloquent of the humanity of life.

We are selling ready made clothing way below cost now in order to clean out the stock. Come to us for suits and overcoats. J. Weisend.

MONEY wanted at Weisend's in exchange for warm overcoats, ulsters, suits, underwear etc., at your own prices.

THE crayon pictures we are giving away are actual gifts; no raise in price as some do. We will make you a present. Lloyd & Son, 57 West Milwaukee street.

ANOTHER great Saturday recorded in our history; the greatest of all. Our coat sale, in fact, is a big success. Plenty of help; come in and buy cheap. Bort, Bailey & Co.

TEN dollars and fifty-nine cents buys a suit of clothes at our 48 cent on the dollar sale, that would have cost you not less than \$18 last year. T. J. Ziegler.

SEATS will be reserved for old soldiers at the revival meeting in the Baptist church this evening and Rev. Mr. Merrill's address will be directed to them. All are invited.

A LITTLE idea of what we have for you in aprons can be had from a glance at our window—8 cents buys well made barred muslin aprons. J. M. Bostwick & Sons.

THE water works case will be argued before the supreme court in Madison to-morrow. E. M. Hyzer will appear for the water company and M. G. Jeffris for the city.

FOR Christmas shoppers, forty-eight cents now buys any of our 50 cent, 75 cent and \$1 neckwear this week. S. D. Grubb.

ELEGANT decorated china plates, salad, chop dishes, sugars, creamers, trays, orange bowls from celebrated factories in Europe, at Wheelock's.

MRS. GEORGE C. MEADOWS of Ipswich, S. D., and two children arriving here parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Luck of the First ward.

Two dollars and fifty cents takes your choice of our finest boys' cape overcoats, sizes 4 to 14, that sold at \$4, \$5, and \$6.50. S. D. Grubb.

SARATOGA chips and all kind of fancy groceries and canned goods on hand all the time. Dunn Bros.

FIFTY and seventy-five cent neckties twenty-five cents at Ziegler's. See east show window.

GEORGE T. GROVE of Huron, South Dakota, is visiting his brother, W. H. Grove of this city.

OVER 50 new styles of decorated 100 piece dinner sets from \$7.75 to \$60 at Wheelock's.

ONE Janesville contractor has five cottages to build at Lake Geneva next spring.

THOROUGHGOOD & Co's office now has a wooden awning on the north side.

MILWAUKEE street bridge is becoming quite shaky, especially when an electric car speeds over it.

SISTERS looking for something for their brothers, can find it at A. F. Hall & Co's, "the reliable jewelers."

My store will be open every evening on week days hereafter until Christmas. J. Weisend, 21 W. Milwaukee street.

MONARCH tea 50 cents a pound, and a ten cent rebate in the shape of silverware will be given on every pound. This is the only genuine Monarch tea in Janesville. Dunn Bros.

THE Ladies of the First M. E. Church will serve an elaborate dinner, chicken pie included, at the church parlors on Tuesday evening, from 5:30 until all are served. Only 25 cents.

WARRANTS are out for the arrest of First ward hoodlums who have been indulging in the pastime of throwing stones and breaking windows.

HANDSOME photo frames in celluloid and silver, at King and Skelly's bookstore.

FINE mixed nuts, this season's production, 12 cents a pound at Dunn Bros.

HANDSOME booklets, fancy calendars, Christmas cards and gift books at prices that are right at King & Skelly's bookstore.

Heavy Rain Coming Tonight

Forecast: Heavy rain tonight and on Tuesday fair and slightly colder.

The temperature as recorded by S. C. Burnham & Co. during the last twenty-four hours was as follows:

7 a. m. 36 above
1 p. m. 38 above
5 p. m. 38 above
Min. 31 above

Wind, north.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder

World's Fair Highest and Optimum

World's Fair Highest and Optimum

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CARSON LIES DEAD IN THE ICY RIVER

COAT AND HAT MYSTERY IS SOLVED.

Despondent Because He Could Not Get a Position Where He Could Work Into Newspaper Illustrations He Ended His Life—Came Here From Keokuk, Iowa.

Disheartened because he could not get work, more especially as an illustrator, Albert Carson, the twenty-year old step-grandchild of Mrs. John Alvis, who lives on Ringold street, ended his "fit of blues" in Rock river Friday, and thus the mystery of the coat and hat that were found on the platform back of Nelson's barn, is solved.

It is a sad story.

Sickness and death was responsible for young Carson's presence in Janesville. His home was at Keokuk, Iowa, where he lived with his widowed mother, who had afterward married a son of John Alvis, the Ringold street gardener, who died some time ago. When Mr. Alvis was taken sick, Mrs. Alvis summoned young Carson from Keokuk to help care for him and the market garden. Mr. Alvis' sickness was fatal, and after his death young Carson stayed with Mrs. Alvis. He was a pleasant, mild-mannered young man, although he seemed to be very easily discouraged. One day he came to The Gazette office and said that he was much interested in newspaper illustrations.

"I have a knack of drawing," he said, "and I would like to learn newspaper work. How much money does such a position pay, and do you think from judging from this, that I would learn it?"

He had a block of wood upon which he had carved a horse's head with a jack knife and was much surprised when he was told that wood engravings were not used in newspaper work. He left apparently in good spirits and said that he would buy materials for pen-and-ink drawing and took the sample pen that was given him with profuse thanks.

He Had Much Talent.

After that his visits were quite frequent. Almost every day or two he would come in with some sample of his drawing and if it was commended he appeared much pleased, but if on the other hand nothing was said commending it he was correspondingly cast down. He had a good deal of talent and made sketches that under a more practiced hand would have been very fine, and one day brought in a double column cartoon that showed a good deal of originality. He wanted to have it etched as he had found a man who would use it in an advertisement and was much disappointed when he was told he had made his lines too close together to print well in a newspaper. The next time he came in he said that he had written to the Benedict Engraving Company of Chicago, asking if they wanted an apprentice. The answer was that they had no vacancy. He made the remark that he "guessed he'd give up," and within the last week or two his visits ceased. He had written to several other engraving houses applying for work but each time he was disappointed. This seemed to prey upon his mind and he became very down hearted. One letter arrived after his death and was in reply to a letter written by him applying for a position and enclosing samples of his work. In the mean time he had searched the town over for other employment but could not find it. Across the street from the Ringold street home of Mrs. Alvis lives Horace W. Brundage, and with Mr. Brundage young Carson became quite friendly. Mr. Brundage was at work in the yard one day when Carson joined him.

Said He Was Discouraged.

"Let me help you Mr. Brundage," he said "and see if I cannot get rid of these blues. I have searched the town over for work and cannot find it, so I am completely discouraged."

To Mrs. Alvis he also made the same remark, and she told him not to worry, for as long as she had a meal he could have half of it, but he would not be cheered up. Friday night he came down town for some groceries and did not return. Then Mrs. Alvis became alarmed but thought he would come back. Saturday morning the coat and hat that he had worn away were found on the narrow platform that projects over the river in the rear of Nelson Brothers' barn. Search was begun but nothing was found. Mr. Brundage learned of this and told Peter Scherer who informed John M. Nelson that Carson was missing. Mr. Nelson notified Chief Acheson and they visited Mrs. Alvis. Then the whole story came out. This morning men were put to work dragging the river.

That young Carson's act was premeditated there can be but little doubt. The platform upon which his coat and hat were found is but two feet wide and overhangs the river. It can be reached by going through the alley between the two buildings or by going through the barn. The coat and hat were lying in about the center of the platform and underneath the river flows with a good strong current. The water is not very deep immediately under it, but ten feet out in the stream the bank slants down and the water is ten or twelve feet deep. The current swings under the Court Street bridge with considerable force and there is no telling how far the body was carried although an

eddy might have floated it back nearly to the spot where he must have plunged in.

ANSWERED THE LAST CALL

Funeral of Mrs. N. P. Bump.

There was a large attendance at the funeral of Mrs. N. P. Bump Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The services were held at the family home, 7 Madison street, Rev. W. H. Wotton, rector of Trinity church, officiating. At the close of the impressive services the remains were conveyed to Oak Hill for interment, the funeral party being accompanied by a large number of friends. The pall bearers were F. S. Lawrence, D. P. Smith, Wellington Willey, J. W. Clark, Elijah Carter and Joseph Green.

Christopher Moenchko.

Christopher Moenchko died Sunday morning at 2 o'clock at the home of his daughter, Mrs. William Monthie, in the town of Center. He was seventy-five years of age, and had been sick only a short time, with pneumonia. The funeral will be held Tuesday from Bethlehem church, in the town of Center, at 10 o'clock, and the remains will be buried in Oak Hill. He leaves four daughters, Mrs. Frank Bonash, Mrs. Otto Kersten, Mrs. Otto Sheer and Mrs. Monthie.

THE SLATE FOR TONIGHT

JANESVILLE Lodge No. 55, F. and A. M., at Masonic hall.

EVANGELISTIC meetings at the Baptist church.

ORIENTAL Lodge No. 22, Knights of Pythias, at Castle hall.

MEMORIAL Lodge No. 318, Knights of Honor, in the Jackson block.

THE Barbers Union, in Central Labor hall.

WASHINGTON Camp No. 1, Patriotic Order Sons of America, in Liberty hall.

THE Cleghorn Reading Circle, at H. A. Palmer's dental parlors.

At Chicago Optical College.

W. F. Hayes, the optician, spent last Friday and Saturday in Chicago at the Chicago Ophthalmic College. While there Mr. Hayes examined some difficult cases and passed upon them so well that he was congratulated by the professors of the school. Mr. Hayes is a thorough optical student, and lets no opportunity pass to improve him in this work. The business he is enjoying is proof positive that he stands very high as an optician. Many cases that formerly went to Chicago now stop here, and are pleased with Mr. Hayes' work. He can be found at F. C. Cook & Co's all the time. While in Chicago he bought a lot of optical goods, gold spectacles, etc.

Greatest Closing Out Sale Ever in Janesville.

Open Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock. These goods must all be sold in ten days, cost cuts our figures. Come and look at these silk plush jackets, former price \$15 to \$22, will be sold at \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50; \$18 to \$25 jackets at \$3.50 and \$5.00. 898 long cloaks, former price \$10.00 to \$25.00, all go at \$1.75 up to \$10.00. Come and see the greatest sale ever in the city.

F. S. WINSLOW,

River street.

All clerks report at 7:30 Tuesday morning.

Reward.

A liberal reward will be paid by S. P. Peterson to any one who can apprehend the party who took his black fur plush lined robe from his buggy.

A FRESH lot of Saratoga chips received this morning at Dunn Bros'. Best of all.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder

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Dying from Fight with Hobos.

VASSAR, Mich., Dec. 10.—In an attempt made by officers to arrest a gang of seven tramps four men were shot, one of them fatally. The fight occurred at the Michigan Central depot, where the tramps had prepared to lodge for the night. Marshal McIntyre ordered them to move on, and when they refused summoned his deputy, Cryslar. Firing then commenced. At the first fire McIntyre, Cryslar and two tramps fell. McIntyre's skull was pierced by a bullet and he is dying. Trainmen came to the aid of the officers and two tramps beside the wounded ones were lodged in jail. The other three escaped in the woods.

French Comment on America.

PARIS, Dec. 10.—The Temps, commenting on what it describes as America's new departure in its foreign policy, says: "The feverish anxiety America has displayed in the far east is doubtless explained by the fact that the Chinese-Japanese war directly affects numerous American interests, but what about the dispatch of a commissioner to Armenia? This is a small beginning perhaps, but it is a grave indication fraught with the serious consequence that America may become the seventh European power."

Shenango Glass Works Burned.

NEW CASTLE, Pa., Dec. 10.—The Shenango Glass Works, owned by Knox, Foltz & Co., yesterday sustained a loss of about \$100,000 by fire. The insurance amounts to \$30,000 and the works will be rebuilt and running within the next two months. Three hundred men are idle as a result of the fire.

Married men have of late often officiated at weddings in Philadelphia and elsewhere as friends of the bridegroom, but it is something new for married ladies to escort the bride to church and act as her attendants, as was the case at the wedding of Miss Laura Jones and James A. Ryan.

LICENSE ELECTION HELD TO BE LEGAL

JUDGE BENNETT UPHOLDS THE \$500 VOTE.

Would Have Been Valid Even Had No Notice Whatever Been Published and the Use of Three Ballots Was Required by the Law on the Case.

Judge Bennett gave the liquor dealers a shock this morning. They had thought from his comments on the arguments last week that he would declare the license election invalid. Instead he ruled that the election was legal. He backed up his opinion with an exhaustive summary of authorities. Thirty rulings of American courts and a number of decisions from Great Britain were cited to show that irregularities so slight as not to disguise the manifest will of the voters did not affect an election. Failure to give notice in all three of the local dailies was complained of. The court pointed out that special license elections were included under the statute governing general elections and not under the statute bearing upon municipal elections. For general elections a notice published in two daily papers sufficed. Only the municipal election statute required the publication of notices in all the daily papers of a city.

Furthermore, Judge Bennett insisted, the election would have been perfectly legal had no notice whatever been published. The date of the election was fixed by state law and the notice given by this law was sufficient. Judge Cooley was quoted by the court as follows:

"The notice to be given is only additional to that which the statute gives, and is prescribed for greater publicity. But the right to hold the election comes from the statute and not from the official notice."

Concerning the objection that three ballots were used instead of a black ballot as under the new system, Judge Bennett ruled that special license elections are not governed by the new law but by the law of 1885 which had a clause especially relating to license elections and which called for separate tickets.

The case will be appealed to the supreme court by the liquor men at once.

An \$8 Suit Sale.

Our sale of boys jersey suits, which has just closed was a great success. hundreds came and carried away the suits and were highly pleased, as they never before had known such values. Next Wednesday and Thursday we will have a men's suit sale. All our \$10, \$12, \$15, and \$18 fine worsted, tweed, cheviot and Wisconsin cassimere suits will be placed on one table, and will go at the uniform price of \$8. There are one hundred suits in all, four or five of each style, and they range in size from 34 to 42. These will be great bargains, and we could not sell for \$8 each had we not bought at bankrupt prices for 56 cents on the dollar. Remember, the sale will last but two days, Wednesday and Thursday, so come on those days.

FRANK H. BAACK,

7 and 9 South River Street.

Stockholders' Election.

The annual meeting of the stockholders in the Rock County National Bank will be held at the office of said bank on Saturday, January 14, 1895, from 10 o'clock a. m. to 3 o'clock p. m., for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before it.

A. P. BURNHAM, Cashier.

Janesville, Wis., Dec. 10, 1894.

City Hospital Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the members of the Janesville City Hospital association will be held on Wednesday evening Dec. 12, at 7:30 p. m., at the Business Men's rooms. A full attendance is requested.

R. VALENTINE,

President.

FRANK C. HASELTON,

Secretary.

A Picture Free.

We have made arrangements to have fine crayon pictures, life size, made of anyone you desire and give to you. We appreciate your trade and will make you a present. Come in and see LLOYD & SON.

THE Doctors Chittenden have removed their office to the corner of West Milwaukee and River streets, opposite First National bank.

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TWO EXTREMEY PRETTY DIANAS.

ONE OF THEM POSSESSES A BEAR'S HIDE.

The Other Is a Professional Hunter—The Misses Clark and Hunter Know How to Take Real Enjoyment Out of Life.

THE YOUNG woman of this period is to enjoy sports that have heretofore been monopolized by men, what better or healthier fun can she have than hunting and fishing? Surely there is nothing unwomanly in that enjoyment, nothing that the critics may complain of.

The other day the sportsman's blood tingled when he read that a bear had been killed in the north woods by Miss Eveline T. Parker, daughter of



MISS PARKER.

President Forrest H. Parker of the New York Produce Exchange bank. When a woman can kill a bear what can she not do with a gun?

It is delightfully refreshing to read of the hunting exploits of Miss Marie Clark, a California schoolgirl of 17 years. When vacation time comes she does not pack a trunk full of ball and tennis gowns and while away the hours in flirting on the verandas of a summer hotel. She starts out with her father and an outfit of English setters, guns and camping goods. Together they tramp the hills and valleys, catch fish and kill snipe and deer.

Miss Clark, first of all, dresses sensibly. She wears a shirt waist of light woolen material, a light canvas skirt of sensible length, and a regulation hunter's canvas coat. In upland shooting she wears Canadian hunting boots of light alum-tanned leather, lacing to the knees, and with the sole flat and studded with nails. When fishing in the river she wears rubber boots.

Miss Clark recently had a lively chase after a deer. After a day of unsuccessful hunting she reached a canon, and after climbing 500 yards up the rough and steep sides stopped to rest. She saw two deer traveling together on the opposite side, and after waiting until they were within full range she fired her first shot. The deer wheeled about and ran down the side of the canon, and Miss Clark fired again. This one of the deer fell and was lodged in a clump of pine trees on the mountain side. While Miss Clark was firing at its companion the stricken deer reached the bottom of the canon and started on a broken run for the creek. With two long shots, one through the head and another through the neck, this huntress finished the animal, a fat spike buck. She did not stop there. She bled the deer, cut him up, and prepared him for carriage.

Her success at fishing is regarded as beyond the ordinary meaning of luck, and as a snipe shooter she holds her own with the best of them. She knows how to cook all the game that she brings into camp. In other words, this young girl, equipped with gun, ammunition, and fishing rod, can go into the woods alone for a month's vacation and take care of herself. She returned to the high school, where she is a hard student, wearing a brown, healthy glow on her face and equipped with plenty of real and exciting stories to tell to her school friends.

A Rich Duke's Daughter.

The Lady Margaret Grosvenor, whose engagement is announced to the young Prince of Teck, a brother of the Duchess of York, is a daughter of the richest duke in England. The Grosvenors are also one of the oldest families in England, the first of the family coming over with William the Conqueror. The family name comes from this ancestor who was LADY GROSVENOR, a gros veneur, or great hunter, and his lovely representative in this nineteenth century has all the hereditary fondness for horses and hounds. The income of the Duke of Westminster Lady Margaret's father, is said to exceed £1,000 a day.

Painting With Tapestry Dyes.

The manner of painting upon silk or wool, with tapestry dyes, is to mark the design through a sheet of perforated manilla paper. The marking bag is filled half with powdered charcoal and half with burnt sienna, care being taken not to use so much as to stain or blur the background. As in all such processes, delicate manipulation is needful. Next, the outline must be traced in local color, with a small brush, before painting the background. His brother went to Portland, where he has lived ever since, his brother becoming the surveyor of the port and dying there in 1893, while Henry was candidate for governor the first time. His active political life began in 1876, when he was elected a member of the legislature. In 1877 he was elected city solicitor of Portland, and in 1880 attorney-general of the state, and served until 1885. His professional reputation extends beyond the borders of the state, and he is known almost as widely as an old soldier and is a member of the Grand Army of the Republic.

A WOMAN TRAVELER.

She Does the British Isles in Her Knickerbocker Suit.

Miss Bacon, the indefatigable and, perhaps, the most practical, advocate of national dress in London, has returned from a successful tour of 1,200 miles on her bicycle. She started on the 3d of August, in the early dawn for Suffolk, wandering around the east coast for several days, and thence, via Peterborough, York and Dunham, to Edinburgh, where she met with an accident which necessitated an immediate journey to Glasgow for repairs. This caused so much delay that she had to abandon her original intention of continuing north to the Trossachs, Oban and Inverness, and she accordingly started on her homeward journey on the 17th of August, taking the Falls of Clyde on her way to Carlisle.

She spent four days among the lakes, where she met a national home reading party, who were duly impressed with her costume and deplored their own petticoated condition, especially when, after ascending Skiddaw, they found that their muddy and bedraggled appearance did not compare well with Miss Bacon's neat and still unsoiled costume. From Kendal she dived into the depths of the northern Back country riding for twenty miles to Warrington. She was glad to leave Lancashire behind and to find herself in beautiful, historic Chester, whence she cycled into Wales to visit Conway, Bangor and Caernarvon, where she met the first and only sign of astonishment on the part of the natives. She suffered no discomfort, however, and received better treatment than did a lady and gentleman on a tricycle, whom she had met a few days previously en route, who had met with the rudest behavior, and had been followed in some places for distances by interested crowds. The lady wore a skirt and this Miss Bacon holds as the reason for the incivility. She herself rode the whole way in her rational dress and visited the cathedrals in her knickerbockers without attracting attention or creating any remark.

QUEEN OF B' UTY.

A Northern Girl Crowned Among Southern Belles.

At the annual tournament held recently at Capon Springs, Va., participated in by all the visitors, Miss Snodgrass of Harrisburg, Pa., was crowned queen of beauty and grace. This is a rare honor to be carried off by a northern girl in a section of country noted for the beauty and

MISS SNODGRASS, QUEEN OF BEAUTY.

grace of its fair maidens. Miss Snodgrass is the daughter of Robert Snodgrass of Harrisburg, who is famous as a corporation attorney, and was deputy attorney general under Governors Hoyt and Pattison. The young lady is one of Harrisburg's fairest daughters, is bright, clever and witty, and is a great society favorite. She was educated at Miss Carey's school in Baltimore. Miss Snodgrass will make her debut during the coming social season in Harrisburg.

Found a Gold Ring in a Sea Fish.

Lieut. James H. Minor of the police force was presented with a gold ring recently by Capt. Harry H. Haywood, who at the time of coming in possession of the ring was in command of the Nova Scotia bark Alice. Capt. Haywood says that while the bark Alice was on her way from New York to Havana he frequently passed the time in fishing, and on June 14, 1892, he caught a large fish, which on being cut open was found to have a plain gold ring inside. It was the common belief of the sailors on the bark that the fish had bitten off the hand of a man, who either fell overboard or went down with his ship. Capt. Haywood has taken a great fancy

to LUCY MINOR, and gave him the ring as a token of his friendship.—Ex.

The Guard's Mistake.

An amusing scene occurred in Stuttgart the other day. The king's daughter Pauline always goes about in very plain attire. On this occasion she passed a sentinel who did not recognize her and neglected to perform the proper salutations. A sergeant across the street made violent gestures to make him grasp the situation, whereupon the guard said to the princess, "Say, miss, the sergeant over there wants to see you."

CHARACTERISTICS.

A rule in a New York society prohibits a man from ever cutting his beard, and a member was recently expelled for breaking it.

A German deputy, in the course of his speech said recently: "The people, the masses, know well enough that it is extremely difficult to become rich suddenly by honest toil, excepting always in the case of inheritance or marriage."

During her travels in Africa, Mrs. Sheldon, the exploring lady, was exceedingly embarrassed by receiving a present of six hundred husbands from a local sultan. It was with much difficulty that she succeeded in refusing his splendid gift without giving serious offense.

A New York woman who had lost a favorite fox-terrier saw a colored man with the pet on the street and had him arrested. At the police station, however, the man told such a straight story that she was in despair until she fortunately remembered that she knew the number of spot on her favorite and the man didn't. "Forty," she said, "and six on his breast," and sure enough that was the number, and she got her dog.

When a little boy, Sheridan le Fanu wrote an essay on the life of man, which ran as follows: "A man's life naturally divides itself into three parts—the first when he is planning and contriving all kinds of villainy and rascality; that is the period of youth and innocence. In the second, he is found putting into practice all the villainy and rascality he has contrived; that is the flower of manhood and prime of life. The third and last period is that when he is making his soul and preparing for another world; That is the period of dotage."

THE VEGETABLE WORLD.

The longest plants in the world are seaweeds. One tropical and one subtropical variety is known which measures in length, when it reaches its full development, at least 600 feet.

The "malto venenito," a species of South Sea island tomato, largely cultivated in Cuba, Jamaica and Costa Rica, always grows five-cleft, many of the well developed specimens resembling the human hand to a surprising degree.

The vegetable boa constrictor is a queer representative of the genus cucumis, which is grown in India for ornamental purposes, the vines being trained over trellises, verandas, etc. The fruit of this green vine is, both in shape and color, the exact counterpart of the snake from which it takes its name.

Our common "sheep-nose" squash is "thrown completely in the shade" as far as fancied or real resemblance is concerned, by the "pig-squash," which is a native of Brazil and northern South America. It is dark green and white spotted, and resembles a legless pig in almost every particular, even to eyes and snout. The "eyes" are white circles, with black spots in the center, and the "snout" is an excrescence or protuberance caused by an enlargement of the "blossom end" of the squash.

A few years ago a portion of the pavement in Grosvenor road, London, was lifted out of its place in some mysterious way. Before workmen were sent to replace it numerous toadstools made their appearance in the cracks between the misplaced stone and its fellows. Investigation proved that the stone, which was two feet one way by four the other, and weighed 212 pounds, had actually been lifted out of place by the resistless growing force of these soft, spongy fungi.

"I OWE MY LIFE TO YOU."

A Wilton, N. J., Girl's Experience With a Noted Massachusetts Woman.

[SPECIAL TO OUR LADY READERS.] Life is never more precious than in the heyday of youth, when every dream is a promise, and every thought an inspiration. It is natural that Miss Gertrude Sicker, a young lady who lives at Wilton, N.J., is grateful for the great boon of life. She suffered terribly with suppressed and painful menstruations. The doctors could only prevent her from having fits each month by dosing her with morphine. At last, when she was completely prostrated, her father got her a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which at once gave her relief. That did what the doctors could not do. It cured her. She has no trouble now, and no dread of the coming month. "I owe my life to you," she writes to Mrs. Pinkham. "Oh, if other suffering women could try your valuable medicine they would bless you as I do."

MISS SNODGRASS, QUEEN OF BEAUTY.

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WORLD'S FAIR PHOTOGRAPH. SPECIAL—For a short time those who failed to secure regular coupons can get any issue or issues of Shepp's World's Fair Photographed by presenting one copy of this advertisement, together with 10 cents for each part desired, at the Gazette office. The supply in several numbers is nearly exhausted. Early orders are advisable.

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WANTED-A MAN. Protestant or Catholic \$18 per Week or \$75 per Month. JOSEPH E. GAY, Prop't., 66 Fish Ave Chicago Ill.

Notice. Yes, please notice as you pass my Restaurant, at 121 West Milwaukee street, the way I keep my bulk oysters, and then if you want some nice, Fresh Bulk Oysters you will know where to go or send for them. I also keep a good stock of crackers on hand. Remember the place. Columbia Restaurant

THIS WEEK ITS STOVES. A nice Japanese stove with ten packages of kindling for 25 cts at Heimstreet's drug store.

Old Tobacco Chewers say LORILLARD'S Cimax PLUG is much the best.

THE MIDNIGHT MESSAGE.

How Dr. Holmes joined the Bohemian Club of San Francisco.

Years and years ago when the Bohemian club of San Francisco was in its infancy, there was a "Jinks." Now, a Jinks, especially a Jinks in a Bohemian club, is not conducted on strictly temperance principles. This one was no exception to the rule. Tommy Newcomb was president of the Bohemian club in those days, and under his supervision the reins of discipline were drawn but laxly. The subject of the Jinks was the then famous Professors at the Breakfast Table. One member recited "Old Ironsides," and a moment later another capped it with "The Height of the Ridiculous." The "Chambered Nauticus" was followed by "The One-hoss Shay." And so it went until some spirit bolder than the rest indited a telegram to the good, gray poet of Boston, informing him of his election to the Bohemian club, with all privileges appertaining thereunto, and sent it before the more sober members could protest.

Now, Boston is three hours nearer the rising sun than San Francisco. The telegram had scarce left the club rooms before some mathematically inclined member had discovered that it would be midnight or later ere the New England doctor and poet would receive his notification of election.

Judge the astonishment of the rollicking Bohemian crew when a uniformed messenger of the telegraph company ran up the steps with the following message and asked: "Is there any answer?"

Message from San Francisco. Whisper low, Asleep in bed an hour or more ago. While on his peaceful pillow he reclined. Say to his friend who sent these loving lines: "Silent, unanswerable, still to friendship true, He smiles in slumber, for he dreams of you."

And thus was Holmes made a member of the Bohemian club.

BILLY DRANK THE BEER.

How the German Emperor Gave One of His Humble Subjects.

A good-natured joke perpetrated by the emperor is related from Kiel. As the Emperor William was stepping on board his yacht he was met by a sailor named Joerg, who had in his hand a mug of beer, which he was carrying into the officers' cabin. The emperor was very much amused at the discomfort of the poor fellow, who did not know at first what to do, and who finally saluted the emperor, holding the beer mug convulsively against the seam of his breeches. The emperor stepped up to the sailor, and addressed him most amiably: "See, Joerg, you have done that very stupidly. I will show you how one should behave in such a situation. Go up and imagine that you are the emperor, and I shall be the sailor Joerg." The poor fellow did not dare remonstrate; he had come on board by the imperial gangway, and the Emperor William met him below in his new role of a sailor with a beer mug. When he saw Joerg the emperor affected some embarrassment, but he then set the glass to his lips, emptied it completely, put it down on the ship's ledge and then made his salute. "Do you see, Joerg? That is the way it must be done. Now, remember; and now go below and tell them to give you another glass of beer and one for you, too. If they question you, just tell them that I said so, and that they should not be angry, for the beer was beautifully fresh and tasted very good."

Turned Up a King's Crown.

A few years ago, in the north of Ireland, a gentleman, Mr. Stuart, of Hornhead, County Donegal, was watching the plowing of one of his fields. Suddenly the plowshare turned up a hard round object crusted with clay, which proved on examination to be a crown of gold. This valuable find—which is described as a plain circlet of gold, very pure in quality and beaten into shape—is believed to be the royal crown of the ancient king of Ulster. I believe this crown is to be seen at the Royal Irish academy in Dublin.

Mrs. Jackson's Birthplace.

Gossips on the eastern shore of Virginia still point out the spot where Rachael Donaldson, the wife of Andrew Jackson, was born, a black-eyed girl of reputed Indian ancestry. Jackson married her two years before she was divorced from her first husband, Lewis Robardo. A loutish fellow who was presented to Jackson at Cumberland, Md., asked him a question about his marriage, and was almost transfixed with the gaze that Jackson turned upon him as the old

soldier said: "You are a very brave man sir; a very brave man!"

Painfully Curious.

A New York cigar dealer put a new device for cutting off the ends of cigars in his store recently, which surprised the user by snapping off the end of the cigar the moment it was put into one of the holes without the necessity of exerting the usual pressure. A number of customers, unthinkingly, poked their fingers into the holes to find out what was there, and as a result, when the machine was opened, in the evening, a quantity of tips of fingers were found mixed in with the cigar ends.

Why Vinegar Is "Sharp."

Gerge Adam, the chemist who wrote in the year 1747, says: "It is generally believed that the sharpness of vinegar is occasioned by the little eels which inhabit it, striking their tails against the tongue. This is an assertion that can neither be proved nor disproved." We have learned a great deal since the day of George and his sharp-tailed eels, and it is now known that the pungency of vinegar is entirely due to the pointed figure of the specific salts that float therein.

SAVINGS AND DOINGS.

It was Dr. Holmes who said that the mind of the bigot is like the pupil of the eye—the more light you throw into it the smaller it grows.

Mrs. Kate Johnston is suing in the superior court of New York for the dissolution of her marriage to her second husband on the ground that No. 1 was living at the time. She is now living with No. 3.

Mark Twain has discovered that there is a "syndicate of doctors" at foreign health resorts. When one of them gets hold of a good patient they pass him from one place to another, until every physician in the combine gets his share of the victim's wealth.

A darkey attempted to steal a hen, a dog raised an objection and Uncle Ned retired. The next night during a thunderstorm he attempted it again, and just as he was on the point of getting away with the fowl the lightning struck close by and nearly frightened him to death. Dropping the hen he started away muttering: "Pears to me dar's heaps of fuss about one old hen."

The business-like character of the matrimonial ideas of foreign men of title, is illustrated by this advertisement, found in a recent copy of a Vienna newspaper: "A young prince, the owner of a lordly estate of great value, has the intention to marry. He seeks a handsome and intelligent girl of about twenty years of age, of good family, and with a dowry of not less than 3,000,000 guldens (\$1,250,000)—Apply," etc.

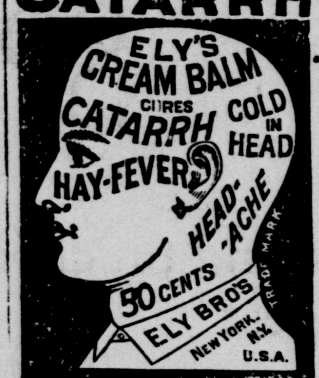
An unusual cause for legal separation appears in the case of Ada T. Shaw against Lewis Shaw in the Brooklyn city court. The plaintiff charges cruelty and abandonment. The specifications are that her husband insisted on giving the boy beer and on keeping his big Newfoundland dog in the bed. The husband answers that his wife developed an undue fondness for a neighbor's pet dog and spent many nights there in order to sleep with the dog.

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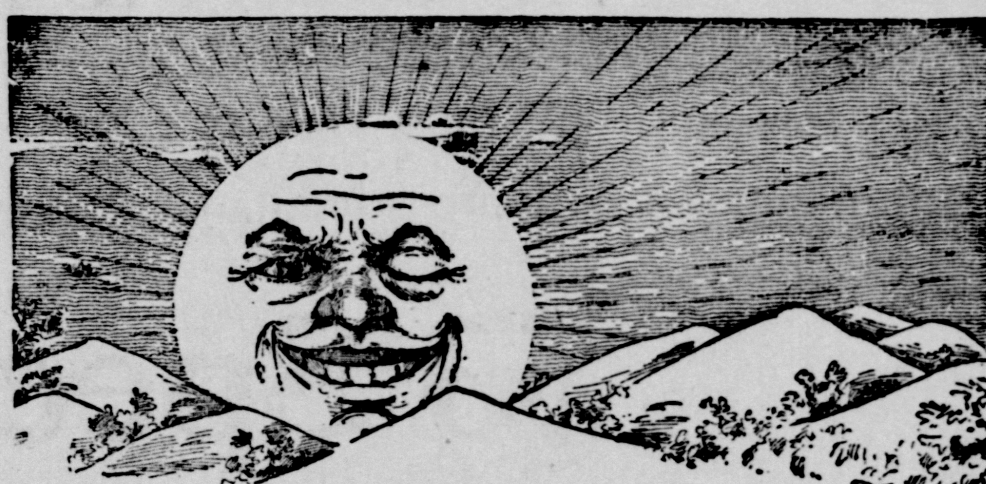
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Chicago, Clinton, Sharon	12:40 p.m.	1:40 p.m.
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Chicago, Beloit, Rockford	2:15 p.m.	
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford, DeKalb	7:00 a.m.	
Chicago, Beloit, Rockford, DeKalb	12:20 p.m.	7:45 p.m.
Chicago, Beloit, Rockford, DeKalb	11:55 a.m.	
Chicago, Beloit, Rockford, DeKalb	1:15 a.m.	6:30 p.m.
Chicago, Beloit, Rockford, DeKalb	9:30 p.m.	6:30 a.m.
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Chicago, Beloit, Rockford, DeKalb	12:45 p.m.	12:15 p.m.
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Milwaukee, Whitewater	7:15 a.m.	9:30 a.m.
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Chicago, East, North and	9:40 a.m.	12:00 m.
Chicago, North, East, West	12:40 p.m.	6:00 p.m.
Chicago, East and all points	6:00 p.m.	8:00 p.m.
Chicago, East and all points	6:30 p.m.	8:00 p.m.
Chicago, East, South and	11:30 a.m.	
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STATE OF WISCONSIN, CIRCUIT COURT

FOR ROCK COUNTY.—In the matter of the assignment of Julius C. Green, assignor, to William H. Pierce, assignee.

Take notice that on the 15th day of November, 1904, Julius C. Green, of the village of Clinton, Rock county, Wisconsin, duly moved, executed and delivered to the undersigned an assignment pursuant to Chapter 80, revised Statutes of 1893, of Wisconsin, and the amendments thereto and that thereupon the undersigned duly qualified pursuant to law; that the post office address of said undersigned assignee is "W. H. Pierce, Janesville, Rock county, Wisconsin," and that every debtor of said Julius C. Green, assignor, is required to file within three months with said assignee or with E. D. McGowan, Esq., clerk of the circuit court for Rock county, Wisconsin, whose postoffice address is "E. D. McGowan, Janesville, Rock county, Wisconsin," on pain of being debarred a dividend, an affidavit setting forth his such creditor's name, residence, postoffice address, the nature, condition and amount of the debt claimed by the creditor over and above all offsets.

Dated November 28th, 1894.

WILLIAM H. PIERCE, Janesville, Rock County, Wis.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, CIRCUIT COURT

FOR ROCK COUNTY.

A. Caulman, plaintiff, vs. Sam. Caulman, defendant.

You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after the service of this summons exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the circuit court for Rock county, Wisconsin, in case of your failure to do so, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint.

FEDERS, JEFFERS, FIELD & MATHERSON, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

P. O. Address, No. 10 W. Milwaukee St. Janesville, Rock County Wis.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS—STATE OF WISCONSIN, CIRCUIT COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY.—In probate.

Notice is hereby given that at the regular term of the County Court to be held in and for said county, at the Court House, in the City of Janesville, in said county, on the 1st Tuesday, of June, A. D. 1895, being June 4, 1895, at 9 o'clock a. m., the following matters will be heard considered and adjusted:

All claims against Adeline A. Dame, of the town of Harmony, in said county, ceased.

All such claims must be presented for notice to said court, at the court house, in the City of Janesville, in said county, on or before 20th day of May, A. D. 1895, or be forever barred.

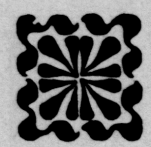
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